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ROBBERS GOT \$20,000

FARMERS' AND MANUFACTURERS' BANK AT RICH, MO., WAS WRECKED.

THE JOB WAS DONE LAST MIDNIGHT

Robbers Left Town on Horseback—Secretary Keyser Offers a \$500 Reward for Arrest and Conviction of the Men.

Rich Hill, Mo., Feb. 12.—Securing \$20,000 in cash, after wrecking the safe, vault and building of the Farmers' and Manufacturers' bank here with dynamite at 12:30 o'clock this morning, five bandits, heavily armed, terrorized the citizens, and, after exchanging shots with the sheriff's posse, escaped to the rough country south of here. No one was injured.

The bank was insured for \$25,000. Cashier J. W. Jamison said that fifteen thousand dollars in currency and five thousand dollars in gold was taken. Three thousand dollars in silver, all that remained of the bank's cash, was not touched.

There were two explosions. The first was evidently sufficient to open the vault and safe. The second explosion, more severe than the first, was, apparently, set off by the robbers to cover their escape.

W. F. Keyser, secretary of the Missouri Bankers' association, was called up by phone this morning at 2 o'clock and advised of the robbery. Mr. Keyser at once offered a reward of \$500 for the arrest and conviction of each robber implicated in the affair, and this afternoon he left for Rich Hill to view the wreckage.

The bank was located in a two-story brick building and had a capital stock of \$25,000. W. W. Ferguson is the president and J. W. Jamison is the cashier.

The two explosions, Mr. Keyser was informed, not only wrecked the vault and safe, but demolished the furniture and seriously damaged the building.

There is no definite clue to the robbers, some people asserting who heard them leaving down on horses that they went west, while still others appear to be positive that they went east.

A Pinkerton detective went to Rich Hill today to work on the case.

PLEASANT BIRTHDAY PARTY

It Was Given in Honor of Miss Nellie Johnson.

Miss Nellie Johnson very pleasantly entertained a few of her friends at her home on South Lamine Tuesday evening, February 11, in honor of her birthday anniversary. Owing to the inclement weather there were a number who were anxious to be present, but who were detained at home.

The evening was spent in games and music, and at a late hour refreshments were served, after which the guests departed for their respective homes, each wishing Miss Nellie many happy returns of the day. Those present were: Misses Pay Shy, Minnie Yunker, Eva Harsh, Elsie Soultman, Henrietta Bohling, Anna and Nellie Johnson; Messrs. Lon Leslie, Fred Dayton, Harvey Worledge, Charlie Olds, George Edding and Harry Tieman.

SHOW PEOPLE IN TROUBLE

Their Baggage and Paraphernalia Attached Last Night.

The baggage, box receipts and other paraphernalia of "The Great Baker" and Mme. Tangle, clairvoyants and hypnotists, who began a week's engagement at Wood's opera house Monday night, were attached by Deputy Constable Phalings last night on complaint of Walter Nebert and Howard Tuggle, two company men, who allege that \$59 in wages is due them by the clairvoyants.

Mr. Baker was seen by the Democrat-Sentinel today and stated that he expected a settlement of the trouble and a release of his property before night.

Stole Coal From Bertman.

Arthur Kaley, a negro boy, was fined \$1 and costs by Judge Rickman today for stealing coal from Barney Bertman.

All the Officers Are Ill.

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. was called off yesterday, owing to the illness of the president, vice president, secretary and treasurer.

The president, Mrs. W. M. Alspaugh, has been ill for some time, while the latter three officers are suffering from la grippe. A special meeting will be held next Tuesday to transact the business of the organization.

Will Wed Tomorrow Night.

James F. Kuykendall, a resident of Smithton, and Mrs. Maggie Castiberry, of East Fourth street, this city, will be united in marriage at the parsonage of the Baptist church at Florence by Rev. Caleb Kramer tomorrow night. They will go to Smithton to live.

THE ALLEGED 'FIREBUGS'

THREE SUSPECTS WERE HELD FOR CRIMINAL COURT AT WARSAW.

SEDALIA LAWYER WAS IN THE CASE

Alleged That the Accused Set Fire to the Home of City Marshal Thorpe and It Was Entirely Consumed.

James Smith, Robert Thompson and Edward Dickey, young men of Warsaw, were arraigned for a hearing before Judge James R. Jones at Warsaw yesterday, charged with having set fire to and destroyed the residence of John Thorpe, town marshal of Warsaw on the night of Jan. 25.

Prosecuting Attorney C. C. Parrett was assisted by G. W. Barnett, of this city, while Attorneys C. C. Owens and D. Brunjes conducted the defense.

After the hearing of evidence the three were held to the action of the criminal court, the bond of Smith being fixed at \$1,500, while the bonds of the other two were fixed at \$1,000 each.

The evidence showed that on the night prior to the fire Smith had been arrested by Marshal Thorpe for drunkenness, and while resisting arrest was knocked down.

The evidence also showed that Smith and the two alleged accomplices had made threats to destroy Thorpe's home by fire.

Mr. Barnett returned from Warsaw yesterday afternoon.

A WILL WAS PROBATED

That of the Late A. J. Lane, Who Lived at Beaman.

The will of the late A. J. Lane, of Beaman, was admitted to probate by Judge Kennedy today. Deceased left all his real estate and \$2,000 to his wife, Allie T. Lane, and the sum of \$1,500 to each of the following children: A. D. Lane, Harriet M. Rissler, Mira L. Beard, Ida M. Elliott, Clara M. Baker, Emma E. McFarland and Alice E. Lane.

To each of the following grandchildren deceased left the sum of \$500: Iva Kellerman, Ira Kellerman and Lowell Kellerman.

According to the will, Dr. G. W. Schwabe was appointed executor. The will was made July 23, 1907, and was witnessed by Benjamin Porter and Green McFarland.

HONOR FOR SEDALIA BOY

Ben F. Clay Joins the San Carlos Opera Company.

Benjamin F. Clay, a former Sedalia boy, and brother of Mrs. Bert Wright, of West Fourth street, has been engaged as one of the first violinists for the San Carlo Opera Co., preparatory to the company starting on a season of Italian and German opera, opening in the Mound City.

Mr. Clay, who is a musician of the highest type, is also first violinist of the St. Louis Symphony orchestra, and, in addition, is organizer and leader of the American String quartette.

Willing to Serve Again.

H. M. Gresham, police judge for Sedalia, will within a few days announce his candidacy for reelection on the republican ticket to the same office at the coming spring election.

WILL GET \$200 REWARD

CHIEF BOULTT IS CONFIDENT THE MONEY WILL BE PAID OVER SHORTLY.

C. C. KELLY TO DEFEND THE NEGRO

James T. Montgomery Will Assist County Attorney Dow in the Prosecution—Latest Developments in Sensational Case.

Up to date the \$200 reward offered for the arrest of Lloyd Cannon, the alleged attempted assailant of Miss Sophia Schwensen, has not been paid.

A check for the above amount, authorized by Miss Schwensen, was presented for payment by Chief of Police Boultt yesterday, but Cashier Latimer, of the Third National bank, where the money was deposited, refused to honor the check, pursuant to instructions from Miss Schwensen's attorney, it is said.

According to Chief Boultt, the reward will be paid if the chief convinces those who offered it of the fact that prior to the time the reward was withdrawn the police had learned of Cannon's whereabouts and had already begun preparations to return the fugitive here.

According to the police, Chief Boultt and Officers Card and Redmon learned of Cannon's whereabouts over two weeks ago, and proceeded to learn if the reward was still good. The bank officials said it was, and Chief Boultt set about to accomplish the arrest of the fugitive.

Soon after this, word came to the police that the reward had been withdrawn, but the police had already started on the case, with the result that Cannon is now lodged in jail, pending preliminary examination.

Cannon refuses to give the name of the white man who requested him to leave town and stay away, but well founded reports on the street state that some rather startling evidence will be introduced at the trial.

C. C. Kelly has been retained to defend Cannon, and James T. Montgomery has been retained to assist County Attorney Dow in the prosecution of the case.

There are a number of sensational rumors regarding the nature of the evidence that will be introduced when the case is put on trial, but until that time the Democrat-Sentinel does not desire to go into details.

OFFERS REWARD OF \$100

For the Arrest of Man Who Assaulted Him Last Night.

An unsuccessful attempt was made between 9 and 10 o'clock last night to hold up and rob Albert Callies, the Main street grocer, as he was going home and was walking on Lamine avenue between Second and Third streets.

The assailant, who is thought to have been a negro, seized hold of Mr. Callies, who landed on the would-be robber with his cane, finally succeeding in compelling the man to relinquish his hold. The police were notified.

Early this morning a negro thought to have been implicated in the assault was arrested by the police and given fifty days in jail for vagrancy, but soon after sentence was passed it was learned that he was not mixed up in the affair and he was released.

Mr. Callies has offered a reward of \$100 for the arrest of the man who attempted to rob him.

John Hunter, a negro, was arrested by Constable Love this morning on suspicion of being the person who attempted to hold up and rob Mr. Callies, and is lodged in jail pending investigation.

Exercises at High School.

Rev. S. S. Martin conducted the devotional services at the weekly exercises at High school this morning. Evangelist W. H. Williams followed with a talk.

Mrs. E. B. Quisenberry gave a vocal selection, with piano accompaniment by Miss Lillie Brandt, after which Miss Martha Letts, principal, announced that members of the Athenian society would give a play at the High school auditorium on Friday night, February 21.

Snow and Colder Weather.

Rain, turning to snow, tonight or Thursday. Colder.

Death of Mrs. John Leary.

Mrs. John Leary, a former Sedalia lady, who left here six years ago for Jefferson City to reside, died at St. Mary's hospital at Jefferson City Sunday night, aged 46 years.

She leaves a husband, a Missouri Pacific fireman, and five children. The remains will be brought here on Missouri Pacific train No. 1 tomorrow afternoon, and will be taken direct to the city cemetery, where burial will be made.

Death of Warren Harris.

Warren Harris, residing at 1412 East Fourth street, died from bronchitis at his home at 5 o'clock this morning, aged 34 years. He leaves a wife and one child. The remains will be shipped to Steedman tomorrow for burial.

BLEW UP THE AMERICANS

MEXICAN MINERS TRY TO KILL OFF WHITE EMPLOYEES OF MINES.

FIFTEEN HURLED THROUGH ROOF

Were in Boarding House Eating Dinner at the Time—Foreman's Residence and Superintendent's Office Also Attacked.

Tucson, Ariz., Feb. 12.—An attempt to kill every American at the Santa Rosa mine in Sonora, twenty miles south of Douglas, was made Saturday last, when the Mexican employees exploded dynamite under the boarding house, the company's store, the foreman's residence and the superintendent's office.

In the boarding house fifteen men who were at dinner were blown through the roof, all sustaining broken legs and arms, but with no fatalities.

The dynamite under the foreman's home failed to ignite. The superintendent's office was entirely demolished, but he was out of the building at the time and escaped injury.

Rumors have been sent to the scene of explosions, which are believed to have been the work of sympathizers with revolutionists who are at present under arrest at Los Angeles. It is believed among the Mexicans that the prisoners are being persecuted by the Americans.

A SEDALIA MAN INJURED

He Was Working on a Bridge Northwest of Green Ridge.

A man named Chapman, residing in this city, and employed by the Midland Bridge company, of Kansas City, was seriously injured in an accident while at work on the McHenry bridge, seven miles northwest of Green Ridge, at 10 o'clock yesterday morning, the earth caving in upon him. He was injured internally and his right leg was fractured.

He was carried to the home of a farmer named Wolfe, about a mile from the scene of the accident, and Dr. Taylor, of Owsley, and Dr. Ferguson, of Green Ridge, summoned.

Mrs. Chapman left for Green Ridge last night to be with her husband. The injured man's father and brother are also employed on the same bridge.

RIGHT EYE WAS TAKEN OUT

Operation Performed on Warren G. Stephens This Morning.

Warren G. Stephens, a 20-year-old carpenter, living nine miles south of Sedalia, had his right eye removed from the socket by Dr. A. J. Tucker, assisted by Dr. M. C. Alderman, at the home of the patient's grandmother, Tenth and Lamine avenue, at 9 o'clock this morning. A report from there later is that he is doing nicely.

Five weeks ago Mr. Stephens was driving a nail, when it flew back and struck the right eyeball. All possible attention was given to the injured optic, but nothing remained to be done except to remove the eye.

No Market Reports Today.

Today being the anniversary of Lincoln's birth, an event observed in the cities as a holiday, the markets were closed, which accounts for the omission of the report in today's paper.

SHE "GIGGLED" IN COURT

MRS. BERT SMITH WAS FINED \$5 BY JUDGE HOFFMAN YESTERDAY.

LATER THE FINE WAS REMITTED

Mrs. Smith Explained That a Mouse Had Ran Up Under Her Clothing and It Was Impossible to Suppress "Giggle."

After being fined \$5 for contempt of court for laughing during the course of a trial, Mrs. Bert Smith, wife of a Missouri Pacific fireman, who before her marriage was Eva Dief, a well known resident of North Sedalia, appeared before Judge Hoffman, late yesterday, and asked that the fine be remitted, for the reason that she was compelled to "giggle," because a mouse ran up one of her limbs under her clothing.

Mrs. Smith was subpoenaed as a witness for the plaintiff in a suit on account of Polly Bryant Howe against R. T. Hanna, a former Sedalia liveryman, now of Sherman, Tex.

During the course of the trial W. D. Steele, one of the attorneys for the defendant, arose and began to tell what kind of a character Mrs. Smith had borne.

In his remarks he referred to her as a person who, on entering a court, set everything to sizzling like a live wire.

As he made the remark Mrs. Smith "giggled" aloud, and Judge Hoffman promptly ordered the clerk to fine her \$5 for contempt of court.

After the disposition of the case Mrs. Smith appeared before Judge Hoffman and asked that the fine be remitted, for the reason stated above. Judge Hoffman granted the request and remitted the fine.

After a fifteen minutes' deliberation the jury in the case returned a verdict for the defendant late yesterday afternoon.

TWENTY YEARS' SENTENCE

Man Who Married Many Women in America Gets Long Term.

London, Feb. 12.—Carl Ludwig von Veltheim, German born, but a naturalized American, who posed here as a baron and is known also as Frank Kurtz and Carl Snelderich Mauritz, was sentenced today to twenty years penal servitude, after having been convicted of attempting to blackmail a wealthy mine owner.

Veltheim has committed bigamy with not less than seven women. The list of his wives includes a woman married in 1904 at Yankton, S. D., and another young American woman in 1905.

The prisoner is alleged to have obtained large sums of money from most of the women that he deceived.

SWEETHEART WON FREEDOM

Nebraska Man Released From Prison as Result of Girl's Pleadings.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 12.—Governor Shelton today announced that he would commute the sentence of John Martin, confined in the state penitentiary, convicted of swindling, and release the prisoner on February 14 as the result of the pleadings of Miss Ingra Anderson, who came from Alaska to ask for her sweetheart's freedom.

She will marry him when he is released. Martin was sentenced to five years and has served three years.

Will Be Buried on Friday.

The funeral of Richard Ferguson, who dropped dead yesterday, will be held from Taylor's chapel at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon. Rev. Davis will officiate and burial will be made in the colored cemetery. In addition to the relatives mentioned in yesterday's paper, deceased leaves a mother, Mrs. Anna Wright; a brother, Will Ferguson, and two sisters, as follows: Mrs. Lulu Coleman and Mrs. Bertie Williams.

Sedalia Man Injured.

Columbus, Ohio, Feb. 12.—W. S. Bernaugh, of Sedalia, Mo., fell on an icy street here Monday night and was severely injured. He is at a hospital.

The party referred to above is believed to be Will Bernaugh, a former barber of Sedalia.

Death of Mrs. P. A. Cool.

Hon. E. E. Johnston is in receipt of a message from J. W. Cool announcing the death of his mother, Mrs. P. A. Cool, wife of a former pastor of the Sedalia First M. E. church, who left here some twelve years ago, death claiming her at Buffalo, N. Y., Monday night.

The son, J. W. Cool, has retired from the ministry of the Congregational church, and is now working in the interest of temperance in New York state.

Death of Mrs. Stinger.

Mrs. J. S. Stinger, of Tipton, who was operated upon several days ago for a tumor, died from the effects at her home there yesterday. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon.

EPWORTH LEAGUE MET

OFFICERS WERE ENTERTAINED BY MISS LULU MONROE AT HER HOME.

SEVERAL COMMITTEES APPOINTED

Roster for Ensuing Year—A Reception to Be Held at the Fifth Street M. E. Church, South, Parlors Tomorrow Night.

Miss Lulu Monroe was hostess to the officers of the Epworth league of the Fifth Street M. E. church, South, at her home on West Sixth street last night.

There were twenty-seven guests present, and the business of the league was transacted, among other things the following committees being appointed for the work stated:

Sunday school, prayer meeting, visiting, flowers, social, reception, missionary and quiet hour.

At Sunday's meeting of the league the following officers were elected:

President—Albert Melton,
First vice president—G. D. Malone.

Second vice president—Miss Eva Westenberg.

Third vice president—A. L. Dickman.

Fourth vice president—Rev. J. F. Caskey.

Secretary—Fred Brereton.

Treasurer—Arthur Meuschke.

Organist—Miss Louise Meuschke.

Assistant organist—Miss Nell Holcroft.

Chorister—Miss Beard.

Assistant chorister—Miss Goodwin.

Ushers—Will Hoffman, Morris Graham, Miss Nell Ayres and Miss Bell Woolery.

Librarian—Harry Guthrie.

Tomorrow night there will be a reception at the church parlors for the entertainment of the new members of the church.

CIRCUIT COURT ENTRIES

Those That Were Made on the Docket Today.

The following entries were made on the docket today in the Pettis county circuit court.

G. A. Alexander vs. Missouri Pacific railway, damages; on trial.

E. C. McGurran vs. Fred Mansfield, garnishee; dismissed for want of prosecution.

Effie Love vs. E. I. Love, garnishee, dismissed by plaintiff.

D. A. Lopp vs. J. H. Maas et al, contract; petition filed and summons ordered issued to Pettis county, returnable at May term.

Brought Here for Burial.

The remains of Sherman Roberts, of Kansas City, brother of David Roberts, a Sedalia grocery salesman, who committed suicide in Kansas City Monday night while despondent because of ill health, arrived here on the noon train today and were taken direct to the city cemetery, where burial was made.

Charged With Trespassing.

Charles Brown, a trespasser in the Missouri Pacific station room, was arrested by the constabulary last night and lodged in jail. He will be tried in Judge Clark's court.

LADIES' MUSICAL CLUB

ONE OF THE BEST MEETINGS OF THE YEAR WAS HELD DURING THE MORNING.

WAS A PROGRAM OF FRENCH MUSIC

Mrs. Emmett Hurley Was in Charge and Was Assisted by Miss Jesse Blair—The Several Numbers Given.

The subject for study at the Ladies' Musical club this morning was "French Music" and was in charge of Mrs. Emmett Hurley, assisted by Miss Blair. The program was one of the most interesting and attractive of the year and much praise was given to the ladies in charge.

Mr. Farris gave two numbers in an artistic and finished manner and responded to an encore, and Mr. Ord Wood sang Chaminade's "Little Silver Ring" and an encore song, displaying a beautiful, sympathetic tenor voice. Mrs. Arthur Kahn told the club of her visit to the famous French conservatoire at the examination season and many interesting musical happenings in France.

Miss Sallie Major had charge of current events and brought out all the news of the week in a very instructive and delightful manner. The club had as its guest one of its charter members, Mrs. B. W. Zimmerman, of St. Louis, who spoke for a few minutes very interestingly.

The next two weeks will be devoted to chorus practice, preparing for the Lenten concert, which will be in charge of Miss Jesse Smith and Mrs. Yancey and promises to be a rare treat. The date set for the concert is Thursday, March 5th.

The following was the program rendered this morning:

1. Current events, in charge of Miss Sallie Major. Given by Misses Willis, Smith, Lodge, Mrs. Steele, Misses Kennedy, Blair, Campbell, Major, Mesdames Estill, Evans, Ott.
2. Paper on History of French Music.—Miss Helen Norton.
3. William Tell Overture.—Rossem Misses Holcroft and Kuhn.
4. Song from Faust.—Gounod Miss Maud Farley.
5. Piano, La Serene.—Thorne Ballet Music from Faust.

Mr. Farris.

6. Paper on the Conservatoire.—Miss Jesse Blair.

7. The Page Song.—Meyerbier Mrs. Johannes.

8. The Sea.—D'Indy Mrs. C. C. Kelly.

9. The Little Silver Ring.—Chaminade Mrs. Ord Wood.

10. The Scarf Dance.—Chaminade Miss Holcroft.

11. Ritornelle.—Chaminade The Dash of Jeanne D'Arc.

12. The Song Fairy.—Bemberg Mrs. E. F. Yancey.

13. My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice.—Saint Saens Mrs. W. D. Steele.

14. Duets, El Deschodo.—Saint Saens Lakene Delibes

Mesdames Yancey and Hurley.

LIVED DUAL LIFE

By Day Was Wealthy Contractor, by Night a Successful Burglar.

Alton, Ill., Feb. 12.—Pacing the length of his cell in the city jail here today Henry Schuell, a wealthy and long respected building contractor, who is in custody on the charge of burglary, confessed that for years he had been entering the stores of his neighbors at night and stealing.

He knew he was doing wrong, he says, but was unable to overcome his desire to steal. The dual life of Schuell was revealed by Jeremiah Kennedy, the owner of a dairy and cigar store, a friend and neighbor of Schuell, who caught him in his cigar store at night.

Departed for Oklahoma.

W. A. and Virgil Hieronymus, of Longwood, with their families, left last afternoon for Willard, Ok., where they go to locate. They ship their stock and goods from Hughesville.

The Hieronymus brothers are among Pettis county's best citizens, are thorough business men, and their legion of friends regret to see them leave the county, but wish for them prosperity in their new home.

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BREAK THE GLASS TRUST.

On glass and glassware the aver-
age duty of the Dingley tariff is 55
per cent of the value. During eleven
months ending in November the im-
ports of glass and glassware, con-
sisting for the most part of window
glass, amounted to the value of \$7,
437,751 at the customs house. When
the original price and duty amount-
ing to \$11,528,512, are added moder-
ate profits of 45 per cent to be di-
vided by importers, jobbers and re-
tail dealers, the cost of this glass im-
portation of \$7,437,751 is swollen to
\$16,716,340 when the consumer is
reached. These imports over the high
tariff wall are trivial in comparison
with the enormous consumption of do-
mestic glass.

The duties, which are intended to
discourage importation and defeat
public revenue, serve to grievously
enhance the price of the domestic
window glass and glassware needed
by the American consumers. The
trusts, operating with entire security
behind the tariff, hold their regular
conferences and adjust their prices
as nearly as may be to the cost of
the imported glass, with the addition
of the exorbitant rates of duty, and
thus are enabled to gather an enor-
mous tribute.

Yet, it is proposed to create a tar-
iff commission of experts to hold sear-
sons, examine witnesses (mostly the
interested chiefs of the glass trust),
and in the course of a number of
years make a report, instructing con-
gress as to what rates of duty it ought
to impose on glass, when all the
facts that are necessary for intelli-
gent legislation on the subject are
fully known. In the meantime, the
spoiliary trusts will work their
sweet will with the American people.

THE POSTAL DEFICIT.

Many people have been led to be-
lieve that the cent-a-pound mail rate,
accorded under the law to publishers
mailing their papers and magazines
in bulk, was the cause of actual loss
to the government. In a recent dis-
cussion of the subject, a writer main-
taining this thesis, asserted that the
publications enjoying these so-called
special privileges paid only 4 per
cent of the postal revenues. Whether
this estimate is correct or not is of
little importance.

The fact which is important, and
which biased and thoughtless critics
ignore, is that the granting of the
second class privilege has brought
millions of dollars of profitable first
class business to the postal service.
It is on record in the archives of
the postal commission which sat in
New York in October, 1906, that a
single advertisement in a publication
enjoying second class rates was the
cause of the writing of more than
2,000 letters.

This case, adds Leslie's Weekly,

might be multiplied by thousands,
and it would be shown that, far from
being itself the cause of a deficit in
the postal revenues, the second class
privilege, by the profitable business
it creates, goes far to make up for
the losses occasioned by rural free
delivery, the ridiculous abuses of the
franking privilege, and the failure to
credit the postoffice department with
the mail carried for all other gov-
ernment departments.

ONE IN MANY.

It was a salesman who remarked
that if he could be in a thousand
places at once he would pile in the
orders. He was thinking of the train
delays, the difficulty of meeting his
man, the loss of time while dancing
attendance, and so on.

But inadvertently the salesman
was paying a high compliment to the
newspaper "ad." The "ad." is in a
great many thousand places at once.
It waits in any and all ante-rooms
without trouble; it is with the men it
wants to meet all day and all night,
and it silently transacts good busi-
ness without troubling a soul on
earth. The "ad." is the magic sales-
man.

It is funny when you think of it.
A woman may invite a man to a
dinner, tea, house party, concert or
an automobile excursion, but she is
not allowed to invite him to dance
with her at an ordinary ball. This
result has been reached by ages of
thought, shared by myriads of intel-
ligence. "What a piece of work," ob-
served my lord Hamlet, "is a man!
How noble in reason! How infinite
in faculty! *** In action, how like
an angel! In apprehension, how like
a god!"

The average habitue of the divorce
court, who reads the bills filed and
hears the testimony given in support
of a decree asked for, is well aware
that there is much wholesale and
deliberate lying going on. But the
last are not a circumstance to the
lies that were told by these same
people, as well as the rest of the
race, were in the heyday of their
courtship.

Let us hope that Luther Burbank
will succeed in demonstrating the
edibility of spineless cacti. If the
hard times and high prices keep up
some of us may have to take a cac-
tus diet, and it would be a little ir-
ritating to be obliged to chew too
much spine and spine while waiting
for the g. o. p.'s era of prickly pear
prosperity to end.

THE THIRD HOUSE

The Dairymen's Side of It.

Sedalia, Mo., Feb. 11, 1908. Editor
Democrat-Sentinel: In the columns
of your paper of Sunday and Monday
are articles on milk inspection, and
I ask the privilege of saying a few
words in reply.

Why doesn't milk inspection in Se-
dalia inspect? You say that the milk
inspector hasn't the power to enforce
the ordinance. Let me quote a part
of section 5 of the ordinance:

"The city board of health or the
milk inspector shall have the right,
and it shall be their duty to enter
and have full access, ingress and e-
gress to all places where milk,
cream, butter and cheese is manu-
factured, stored or kept for sale; to
all wagons, carriages or other con-
veyances used for the delivery of the
dairy products; or to take samples of
milk, cream, butter or cheese there-
from, not exceeding one quart of
milk, one-half pint of cream, one-
eighth pound of butter or one-eighth
pound of cheese, for the purpose of
testing or analyzing the same."

Now, it does not require a lawyer
to see that the inspector is given the
power to take samples from the wa-
gons. In fact, this is the only meth-
od of taking samples that is fair
both to the dairyman and the public.
I have not refused to furnish sam-
ples nor denied the right of the in-
spector to demand samples from the
wagon, nor, so far as I know, has
any other dairyman.

Now, just a word in regard to the
puny babe that the hard-hearted milk
man is murdering by selling milk that
has been "doctored." On my list of
customers are at least three mothers
who are feeding their babes on cow's
milk. Two of the babies are doing
well, the other has been sick nearly
all its short life, and sometimes the
cows' milk does not agree with it.
Why? Nine persons out of ten will
jump at the conclusion that the milk
has been "doctored."

We are not a set of thieves and
black-hearted villains who would
murder your children, but we are law-
abiding citizens and taxpayers of
Pettis county and want to see justice
done to all parties concerned. But
when the city council passes an or-
dinance empowering the inspector to
go outside the city to inspect the
dairymen's milk, it should provide the
compensation for the inspection and
not make the dairyman pay for some-
thing he does not get.

Also, we do not think it fair for the

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Hawaiian sliced Pine-
apple, in 2 1/2 lb cans;
large slices; ripe fruit;
really nicer than fresh;
per can..... 35c

"DE NICE"

Brand pitted red Cher-
ries; fine for sauce or
pies; per can..... 30c

RICHELIEU

Sliced lemon cling
Peaches, Royal Anne
white Cherries, peeled
Apricots, Bartlett Pears,
or yellow Crawford
Peaches; the finest flav-
ored selected fruits in
heavy syrup; per can—
35c

OUR GOLDEN ROAST

Coffee; it's equal in puri-
ty and flavor is not pur-
chased elsewhere under
35c lb. Few blends of
Java and Mocha please
as well; per lb..... 25c

FOR PIES

Or, sauce, Paragon Rasp-
berries; cans full nice
fruit; per can..... 15c
Peel pie peaches, per
can..... 15c

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antee. A fine line of samples to se-
lect from at 416 South Ohio street.
Place your order right at home, where
it will be duly appreciated. No so-
licitor. Phone 853.

Inspector to show favoritism in re-
gard to the town cow. If I have to
pay an inspection fee that averages
\$25 a year for the privilege of selling
milk in Sedalia, then any one in
town who has a cow and sells milk
should be on a par with the dairy-
men in regard to inspection.

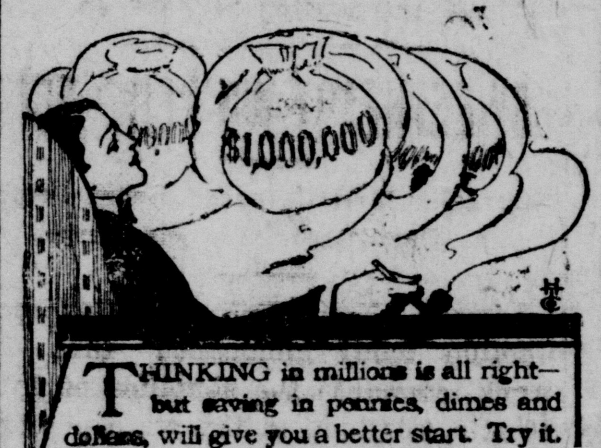
Two years ago I purchased a cow
from one of the members of the pres-
ent city council. The lot in which
she was kept was knee deep in ma-
ture mud, and the man had to
throw stones at her to get her into
the barn in order to halter her. Mr.
Editor, how would you like to have
used that cow's milk?—A. G. Mc-
Vey.

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Are quickly and permanently cured
by Zemo, a clean liquid for external
use. Zemo draws the germs to the
surface of the skin and destroys
them, leaving a nice clear healthy
skin. Write E. W. Rose Med. Co.,
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by Dan Wilcox.

A Church Supper.

The Trinity church ladies will serve
supper in the store room at 608 Ohio
street this evening from 5 to 9
o'clock. Supper, 25 cents.



THINKING in millions is all right—
but saving in pennies, dimes and
dollars, will give you a better start. Try it.

The way to start is to begin;
the way to begin is to take some sum,
if only \$1, and deposit it in our
Savings Department. Add to it
frequently; it will be easy after a
little—BUT MAKE THE START.
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SOME DEALS IN DIRT

TRANSFERS THAT HAVE TAKEN
PLACE IN BOTH THE CITY
AND COUNTY.

WHAT THE COUNTY RECORD SHOWS

Deeds That Have Been Filed in the
Office of Recorder Morey Dur-
in the Week Ending Feb-
ruary 12, 1908.

The following transfers of realty
have been filed for record:

Lewis E. Chappell and wife to Jor-
dan R. Chappell, wd, 25 acres of land
in Green Ridge township, \$2500.

Jordan R. Chappell and wife to
Lewis E. Chappell, wd, 25 acres of
land in Green Ridge township, \$2500.

Lewis E. Chappell and wife to Al-
bert Hutchinson, wd, 22 acres of land
in Green Ridge township, \$2500.

Porter Real Estate Co. to Toney J.
Turner, wd, tract of ground east side
Montgomery street between Seven-
teenth and Eighteenth streets, \$150.

David C. Walker and wife to Lydia
Phelan, wd, property southwest cor-
ner Tenth and Lafayette streets,
\$1400.

Walter A. Weeks to C. L. Roark,
qd, undivided interest in tract of
ground north side Fourth street be-
tween Harrison and Grand avenues,
\$300.

W. A. and H. W. Graham to Henry
and Martha J. Butler, wd, property
northwest corner Eleventh and Pros-
pect streets, \$275.

J. L. Van Wagner to Edith McNeal,
qd, lot in Pleasant View addition,
Southeast Sedalia, \$325.

John Fowler and wife to John A.
Scott, wd, 85 acres of land in Dres-
den township, \$3750.

William S. Baker to Rolla Fergu-
son, wd, property in North Sedalia,
\$200.

G. H. Ayers and wife to H. T. Mc-
Cleery, wd, two blocks of ground be-
tween Ninth and Tenth streets and
Sneed and Stewart avenues, \$4500.

Porter Real Estate Co. to Roy B.
and Ethel R. Hinkle, wd, property
south side Eleventh street between
Ingram and Thompson avenues, \$1050.

Rebecca J. Hatton and husband to
Noah Rogers, wd, property west side
of Lamine avenue between Thirtieth
and fourteenth streets, \$1500.

Malinda J. Greer to John B. Greer,
qd, 40 acres of land in Longwood
township, \$400.

I. N. Sprecher, sheriff, to Oscar and
Joseph C. Smith, sheriff's deed, tract
of land in South Sedalia, \$455.

Adolph Riecke and wife to H. T.
Williams, wd, property southwest
corner Second and Prospect, \$1000.

Henry C. Mitchell and wife to
Asher F. Wimer, wd, 145 acres of
land in Blackwater and Lamonte
townships, \$6800.

Roda E. Dickerson to W. B. Fow-
ler, wd, undivided one-half interest
in property in town of Dresden, \$80.

Clara E. Blum to Myrtle M. Lajin,
wd, property southeast corner Four-
teenth and Thompson avenue, \$2500.

Laura L. Hodges and husband to
Carl A. Guenther, wd, property north
side Third street between Ohio and
Lamine avenues, \$3000.

Elmer C. Frank and wife to John
W. Payne, wd, property southeast
corner Jefferson and Lamine avenues,
\$700.

Elmer C. Frank and wife to John
W. Payne, wd, property northeast
corner Fifteenth and Osage streets,
\$400.

F. A. Hightshoe and wife to W. D.
Bogar, wd, property south side of
Third street between Prospect and
Grand avenues, \$2750.

Anna C. Kaler and husband to T.
M. Pemberton and E. C. Frank, wd,
property northeast corner Fourth and
Marvin streets, \$1500.

Antone Rhedans to Henry Rhe-
dans, wd, property northeast corner
Brown and Saline streets, \$1000.

J. Ella Morris and husband to M.
V. Carroll, wd, property north side
of Seventeenth street between Ingram
and Thompson avenue, \$2000.

Rachel Shipley to William L.
Smith, wd, 120 acres of land in Black-
water township, \$8784.

Mutual Benefit Building and Loan
association to Clark L. and Anna M.
Van Etten, swd, property north side
of Sixth street between Brown and
Summit streets, \$600.

P. Bruce et al to A. O. Teter, wd,
property in town of Hughesville, \$175.
Sallie C. Powell, G and C, to James
E. Thomas, g & c d, 120 acres of land
in Heath's Creek township, \$727.

Fern Jefferson to Paul Smith, wd.

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undivided one-half interest in prop-
erty southwest corner Third and New
York avenue, \$350.

Charles Hoffman, G & C, to Paul
Smith, gd, undivided one-half interest
in property southwest corner Third
and New York avenue, \$350.

Crow Not to Be Candidate.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 12.—Edward C.
Crow, former attorney general, yes-
terday announced that he would not
be a candidate for the democratic
nomination for governor.

Mr. Crow, in a formal statement,
says he is financially unable to aban-
don his law practice and enter the
contest.

MEETING OF CHAUTAUQUA

NEXT SESSION WILL BE HELD
TUESDAY AFTERNOON,
FEBRUARY 18.

IN A ROOM AT THE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Lesson: "American Painting" in the
December Magazine, and Chapter
Three in the "Newer
Ideals of Peace."

The next session of Chautauqua
will be held at the public library on
Tuesday afternoon, February 18.

The lesson will be, "American
Painting," in the December Magazine
and Chapter 3 in "Newer Ideals of
Peace." Roll call will be followed by
responses from American authors.
The program follows:

Tell of Gilbert Stuart, has paintings
and chief characteristics.—Miss Grace
Johnson.

Washington Allston, his character
and message to younger painters.—
Mrs. J. P. Brown.

Mention some portrait painters of
the time and tell of their achieve-
ments. Speak of new field of Ameri-
can painting.—Mrs. Chas. Easton.

John Trumbull and his paintings.—
Miss Emma Weir.

Emanuel Leutze and William Mor-
ris Hunt, their work and influence.—
Miss Gertrude Brandt.

With what class of people does gov-
ernment deal? What qualities of the
immigrant frequently find no place in
our industrial system and why?—
Mrs. Peter Hoffman.

Tell of the Anglo-Saxon distrust of
experiments with land tenure and
taxation illustrated by Douchebor.—
Mrs. T. H. Johnson.

What striking object lesson is oc-
casionally presented by the orthodox
Jews of Chicago?—Mrs. E. E. Durand.

Tell of the statesman, the politician
and the immigrant, also the immi-
grant's attitude toward child labor
and compulsory education.—Mrs. W.
H. Hoffman.

Intelligent co-operation of immi-
grant necessary to advance social
legislation. What of the immigrants
past and his patriotism for his moth-
er country.—Mrs. W. O. Stanley.

Tell of the ignoring of national dif-
ference. The Greek recalls his na-
tional importance. Cosmopolitan
standard widens gulf between parent
and child.—Mrs. J. C. Longan.

Juvenile courts and what important
activities are now undertaken by
these courts.—Mrs. H. E. Carpenter.

Government functions in public
charities. Aid for the masses. The
socialist and his undertakings.—Mrs.
E. D. Holbert.

America compared with France and
England in regard to representative
city government.—Mrs. E. K. Lowe.

Compare our care of the people
with that of Germany.—Mrs. L. C.
Tallman.

STRONG STONE SUPPORTER

Rev. Noah Bedsworth Wants to See
Senator Re-elected.

Jefferson City, Feb. 12.—The Rev.
Noah W. Bedsworth, of Callaway
county, who was here yesterday is a
strong supporter of Senator W. J.
Stone. In speaking of the matter, he
said:

"I am for Senator Stone for re-
election because he is an able man
and because he is a rockribbed dem-
ocrat and so am I."

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Superfluous hairs and other blemishes
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Dorby Hats in all the latest
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HATS
For 1908 now
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Wm. Courtney

Red Men Elect Officers.

Apache tribe No. 55, Red Men,
elected the following officers to fill
vacancies at a special election Tues-
day night: V. H. Leffler, sachem;
Max Lauterbach, senior sagamore;
W. H. Card, junior sagamore.

Ladies' Aid Society to Meet.
Mrs. Egdorf, 320 East Thirtieth
street, will entertain the Ladies' Aid
Society of the German Evangelical
church tomorrow afternoon and night.

Building Contract Let.

Warrensburg, Mo., Feb. 12.—At a
meeting of the board of regents of
the state normal school here yester-
day the contract for the erection of
the new training school building was
let to Edward Swartz, of Jefferson
City, for \$37,889. The construction
work will begin at once.

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dence of the community. You will
do well to bring to us your savings
and earnings, well assured that they
will grow under our watchful care
and cautious investment, so that you
will be the gainer as the years go by.
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Cashier. Pres.



E. F. YANCEY, President.
W. H. EVANS, Vice-Pres.

E. F. BLAIR, Cashier.
W. O. TERRY, Asst. Cashier

The Sedalia National Bank
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Prominent among the new arrivals this week are the following:

LADIES' LONG KID GLOVES

In either black or tan and of very best quality, in 16-button length; priced at \$3 and \$2.

LADIES' SHIRT WAISTS

Striking attractions of style and beauty, in plain or fancy embroidered effects of lace and silk, in colors of black, white and ecru; prices range from \$2 to \$5.

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Absolutely the newest, in the new popular champagne shade; also in brown ch. plaids and shadow plaids; each and every pattern representing the height of fashion; not over two of a kind per yard, \$1.

C. E. Messerly

WED THE SECOND TIME

Divorce Brought Unhappiness, So Re-Marriage Fell 'ws.

On Sunday afternoon at his home Rev. A. N. Lindsay united in marriage John W. Coombe and Mrs. Lucy A. Coombe, says the Clinton Democrat.

Several years ago they were divorced and their grown children have ever since persistently endeavored to effect a reconciliation.

Success at last rewarded their efforts, and one of the witnesses who signed their second marriage certificate was their daughter, Miss Blanche Coombe.

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A company of unequalled talent, producing many mysterious productions.

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ONE NIGHT.
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16.

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A Story of Today.

Staged Complete.

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and

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GOOD INSURANCE—LOW RATES.

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408 OHIO ST., 2ND FLOOR.

the secretary is a decided favorite among Michigan republicans.

At this meeting the time and place for holding the state convention will be decided on, and temporary officers named. The state convention will probably be held late in April or early in May. Grand Rapids may lose the convention because it has now no convention hall. It is Grand Rapids turn, but Detroit will probably get it again unless Grand Rapids citizens find a suitable place.

From here Secretary Taft will go to Detroit tomorrow and an elaborate program has been arranged for his entertainment. It includes an escort from Grand Rapids, an automobile ride to the Hotel Ponchartrain, a reception either at the hotel or the Masonic temple or Harmonie hall and a luncheon to be held at 2:30 in the afternoon.

The speaking will be at the luncheon and the program submitted to the secretary provides for several other speeches besides the secretary's.

Among the speakers are Governor Warner, Congressman Denby, Assistant Secretary Newberry, a representative of the board of commerce, and others.

Boom Taft in Colorado.

Denver, Colo., Feb. 12.—This is a gala day for the republicans of Colorado, members of the state central committee, chairman of county committees and editors of republican papers gathering here in response to a call issued by Chairman Vivian.

The central committee will select the time and place for the republican state convention, to nominate delegates to the Chicago convention. Taft boomers are much in evidence and it is likely that Colorado's delegation will be pledged to support the secretary of war, although some opposition to the administration has developed in the grazing sections of the state, where the cattlemen are opposed to the government's attitude on the public lands and forest reserve questions.

Taft Had Clear Sailing.

Columbus, O., Feb. 12.—The net result of the republican primaries held throughout Ohio yesterday was in favor of William Taft. Four delegates-at-large, twenty-two district delegates to the national convention in Chicago and a list of delegates to the state convention, to be held March 3, which will be unanimously in his favor, were selected. Hardin county held no primaries.

A Night Alarm.

Worse than an alarm of fire at night is the metallic cough of croup bringing dread to the household. Careful mothers keep Foley's Honey and Tar in the house and give it at the first sign of danger. Foley's Honey and Tar has saved many little lives and it is the only safe preparation for children, as it contains no harmful drugs. Arlington Pharmacy.

Death of Mrs. Bunker.

Mrs. Sallie Bunker, mother of John Bunker, of Sedalia, and also of three other sons, died at her home in Pilot Grove Tuesday night of la grippe and measles, aged 67 years. She was one of Cooper county's most highly esteemed ladies. Mr. and Mrs. John Bunker left Tuesday morning for Pilot Grove to attend the funeral.

The Man With Dandruff.

Can now be cured. He should buy a bottle of Zemo today. Zemo destroys the germ that causes the disease. Its use stops itching instantly, prevents falling hair and leaves the scalp in a clean healthy condition. For sale by Dan Wilcox.

Invitations to the Wedding

Should be given careful consideration. Thomas Printing and Scenic Co., 115 East Second street, expert printers and engravers, are constantly executing the finest. Samples and lowest prices given on application.

A SOUND ARGUMENT BY BUSINESS MAN

The county court of Pettis county, Missouri, has, in pursuance of and as required by law, ordered an election to be held on the 15th day of February, this year, to determine whether or not intoxicating liquors will be sold in Pettis county, outside the corporate limits of Sedalia, within the next four years by dramshop keepers.

The voters who are qualified to vote at such election are those residing in Pettis county outside of Sedalia, and otherwise qualified by law, and the ballots which they shall cast at such election shall have printed upon them the following words:

"Against the sale of intoxicating liquors," and "For the sale of intoxicating liquors," and the voter shall erase the clause he does not want.

If a majority of the voters at such election vote against the sale of intoxicating liquors, no person can, within the next four years following such election, secure a license to conduct a dramshop within Pettis county, outside of Sedalia.

If a majority of the voters at such election vote for the sale of intoxicating liquors, the law with reference to dramshops shall remain as it is today.

The local option law does not affect the druggist, for his status under the law is the same after its adoption as it was before. If a druggist chooses to violate the law he can do so with as much impunity and security under a local option law as he could before its adoption.

There is not now, and there has not been for more than ten years, a saloon in Pettis county, outside of Sedalia, and it is safe to predict that, regardless of how this election goes, that there will be no saloon in Pettis county, outside of Sedalia, for years to come. If a majority of the voters at such election vote against the sale of intoxicating liquors, they will not remedy any existing evil, nor have the satisfaction of putting even one saloon out of business. They may, by carrying such election, give impetus to the local option movement that is now passing over the country, but that is merely speculative, and, at best, doubtful.

No champion of local option or prohibition, however ardent and devoted to the cause of either, believes that the adoption of local option by the voters at such election will change in any material, tangible way the situation in Pettis county, outside of Sedalia. Such election is purely sentimental in its origin and bound to be in its results.

It would seem that the election ought to decide some issue of present concern and of vital importance to the electors voting thereat, and that it should not be held merely to satisfy a sentiment that does not strive for any material result to the territory affected by such election.

It almost seems a species of fanaticism that the county court of this county should be compelled to order an election, and pay the cost of holding it out of the money of the people in the county treasury, when such election cannot change in any material or practical way the local situation in the county, outside of Sedalia.

It would seem that those who are so deeply interested in the cause of prohibition would content themselves in doing what they could for such cause without making others pay an enormous bill, which will be entailed by this election, as a result of their championship.

They cannot hope to kill a single saloon by such election, and all their argument against the evils of drink cannot be directed against a single saloon in Pettis county, outside of Sedalia.

Ought the people of Pettis county be compelled to pay such a costly tribute to the cause of local option or prohibition? We ought, at least, regardless of our stand on such a question, have some regard for our county's finances, and not squander our money for any foolish or useless purpose.

If the election results in local option cannot the people of Pettis county get their drinks in Sedalia at their accustomed places, as they have been doing in the past? The drinking portion of our population will in the future, as in the past, visit the dramshops in Sedalia, for that is the only place there has been a saloon in Pettis county for more than ten years.

If the election will have any moral effect it will of course have more at home than abroad. If it will affect any place at all it will undoubtedly have more effect on Sedalia than any other. Those who are behind such election must have decided to have an election later on in Sedalia. Now, it would seem in all fairness that if the people of Pettis county, outside of Sedalia, have the right to decide for themselves whether they shall have saloons or not, that the people of Pettis county, in Sedalia, would have the same right.

Would it not be more practical for the people of Pettis county, outside of Sedalia, to wait and see what Sedalia does before they are called upon to fight a booby of their own creation and imagination? Would it not be more practical for the people of Pettis county, outside of Sedalia, to wait until they had some evil to fight, and then buckle on their armor for the fray, instead of beginning a Don Quixote windmill fight before they have a real enemy to face?

Finally, are the people of Pettis county interested in abolishing the saloons in Sedalia? The people of Pettis county, outside of Sedalia, are not bothered with the saloon in their own territory. They do not know anything about a saloon unless they voluntarily go to one.

If drinking in a saloon is such a deadly evil, they should have sense enough to stay away; but there is one thing that comes from the saloon that they do enjoy, and that one thing has done as much, if not more, to help the people of Pettis county, outside of Sedalia, than anything else.

Within the last ten years there have been paid into the county treasury from saloon licenses the sum of \$147,518.70. One-half of that amount has been turned over to the Six-Mile road district, which has lately been extended to a twelve-mile road district.

In addition to that, one-fourth of the city license on saloons in the city of Sedalia for the last ten years has been paid into the treasury of said road district.

With this money, which has been paid by the saloons, several miles of rock roads have been built. Without this money the building of rock roads would have been impossible. Every one in Pettis county who has ever had any experience with our county roads knows that the ordinary taxes for road purposes are barely sufficient to maintain a dirt road, and every January finds our several road districts, outside of the Six-Mile district, behind in their accounts.

We are all interested in good roads; they do not only enhance the value of our lands, but they enter into and form a substantial part of our material prosperity. It is just as necessary to transport our products as to produce them, and good country roads are essential to the prosperity of our county.

But we all know that unless we build rock roads we will never have good roads. Thousands of dollars are spent every year on our dirt roads, and the following year finds it just as necessary to spend thousands more for their repair and betterment.

We can not build the rock roads without the money that comes from saloon licenses. Then is it wise for the people of Pettis county, outside of Sedalia to vote for local option when they know that by so doing they will contribute materially in taking away from themselves the only source by which they can build their roads?

Of course, this will be called a sordid argument in favor of the saloons. We will be accused of advocating the use of money which comes of the vices of men.

If a saloon license is a tax on the vices of men, is it not as justifiable, in the law and in morals, as the taxes which are imposed on the virtues and merits of men? When a man through the exercise of his virtues accumulates property, should the results of his virtues be taxed upon higher grounds of morality than the vices of another man, who spends his substance in their pursuit?—A Business Man.

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We Have on Hand a \$10,000 Stock of

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In order to raise money, we are making prices on case lots and quantities to merchants and customers at less than the wholesale cost **For Cash.**

20 lbs. best granulated sugar.....\$1.00	Best coal oil, per gal.....10c
10 lbs. best lard.....\$1.00	Best northern potatoes, per bu.....80c
White Ribbon or A No. 1 Otterville flour, per cwt.....\$2.35	Ground corn, 500-lb lots, per cwt.....\$1.05
Good hard wheat flour, per cwt.....\$2.25	Iran, 500-lb lots—cash at door.....\$1.05
Very best hard wheat flour, per cwt.....\$2.75	per cwt.....\$1.05
1/2 bushel fresh ground meal.....30c	Shipstuf, 500-lb lots, per cwt.....\$1.20
Fresh hams, per lb.....9/6c	Corn—cash at door—per bu.....\$1.50
Fresh salt meat, per lb.....9c	Prairie hay, per bale.....40c
Best navy beans, per lb.....5c	Timothy hay, per bale.....50c
4 cans corn.....25c	Straw, per bale.....25c
Tomatoes, per can.....10c	Sawed wood, per cord.....\$5.50
Best peas, per can.....10c	Cord wood, per cord.....\$4.75
3 boxes Searchlight matches.....10c	We have on hand Arkansas Lump and
3 packages oats (2 lbs).....25c	Nut, Kansas Lump and Nut and Illi-
7 bars Diamond C soap.....25c	nois Lump and Nut coal and all
8 lbs. prunes.....25c	grades of hard and soft coal. Prices
	right.

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400 WEST SECOND STREET.

PHONES 328.

Cannery Meeting at Smithton.

At a meeting held at Smithton Tuesday afternoon in the interest of a cannery Messrs. William Montgomery and A. R. Bohon were appointed a committee to visit and investigate the canneries at Centertown and Concordia, to report at an adjourned meeting to be held at Knox Hall in Smithton Saturday afternoon.

Heavy, impure blood makes a muddy, pimply complexion, headaches, nausea, indigestion. Thin blood makes you weak, pale, sickly. Burdock Blood Bitters makes the blood, rich, red, pure—restores perfect health.

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For a mild, easy action of the bowels, a single dose of Doan's Regulents is enough. Treatment cures habitual constipation. 25 cents a box. Ask your druggist for them.

"Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is the best remedy for that often fatal disease—croup. Has been used with success in our family for eight years."—Mrs. L. Whiteacre, Buffalo, N. Y.

A Fire in the Country.

The residence of Charles Martin, one mile west of Smithton, was consumed by fire, the origin of which is not known, Tuesday night. The loss is partially covered by insurance.

A tissue builder, flesh producer, brings health and happiness into the system. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea has done for millions. 'Twill do the same for you. 35 cents, tea or tablets. W. E. Bard Drug Co.

THE OLENDORF AIRDOME

Contractor Fred Sessinghaus Has Contract to Build it.

Fred Sessinghaus, the well known builder and contractor, returned from Sedalia Monday evening, where he had been in consultation with George Olendorf, who is to build the new airdome on Main street, says the Jefferson City Democrat.

Mr. Sessinghaus secured the contract for the erection of the theater and stated today to the Democrat that he would commence the work of tearing down the old rock church next week.

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MUSEMENTS

SEDALIA THEATER.

"Sherlock Holmes," or "Sign of the Four," a dramatization of A. Conan Doyle's great detective story of that name will be presented by the Grace Hayward company at the Sedalia theater tonight. This is one of the best bills of the week and should be well handled by Miss Hayward and her clever associates. The story concerns the recovery of the famous Agatha Jewels by Holmes; it is an exciting story, well written and abounding

Tangley present a line of mysteries far above the average and for fun making qualities they are unexcelled. They never fail to keep the audience in an uproar of laughter by the amusing stunts performed by the local young men who volunteer and submit to their mysterious influence. While their programs are arranged for fun making qualities only, they are at the same time very instructive. Special mention should be given Mme. Tangley for the clever way in which she handles her class. A unusual



"PARDONNEZ—I AM SIMPLY ONE OF THE DOCTAIRE'S PATIENTS"
WOOD'S OPERA HOUSE SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16.

ing in good and exceptionally interesting situations. The first act shows Holmes' quarters at 22 Baker street, London. The second act the Pondicherry lodge. The two scenes in the third act show the old boat house on the Thames river where Holmes is captured and is about to be blown to atoms when rescued. All vaudeville acts will be entirely new with "Sherlock Holmes" tonight, one of the best plays in Miss Hayward's repertoire.

WOOD'S OPERA HOUSE.

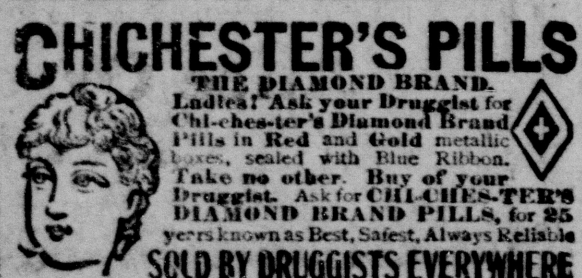
The Great Baker and Mme. Tangley.
Tonight the great Baker and Mme.



HOSPITAL TREATMENT AT HOME.

There are thousands of men and women whose health has been wrecked on the rocks of constipation, piles and many other chronic rectal affections, and who have resorted to the use of various kinds of cathartics and patent nostrums, only to grow worse and to believe there was no permanent relief. To this class of sufferers Dr. Hume's common sense and scientific treatment should most strongly appeal. Remember, we guarantee a cure of your malady. In buying Dr. Hume's treatment you can have the benefit of a consultation by mail with him free of charge. The entire outfit complete by mail for \$3.00.

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A COMFORTING SERMON

WAS THAT DELIVERED BY EVANGELIST WILLIAMS LAST NIGHT.

"JACOB'S LADDER" WAS SUBJECT

One More Convert Was Added to the Already Large List—Tonight He Will Talk on "The Knock of the Nail-Pierced Hand."

The attendance at the revival meeting last night was good and the drummer preached his best sermon. One lady was converted and two men arose for prayers. He took for his subject last night "Jacob's Ladder," or "The Ministry of Angels."

Mr. Williams conducts the meetings in the old-time Methodist way, full of fire and snap, or as Sam Jones said, "Git up and git."

The sermon last night was a comforting sermon to God's people, indicating that nothing happens by chance or luck, that all things are ordered of the Lord, the wicked being permitted to go on their way. The sermon was most interesting. There was not a dull moment in it, and the people were deeply moved. He said in part:

"Some time ago I went into a home and I saw a picture on the wall. The picture had in it a rough stream of water, with rough projections of rocks on each side of the stream. In this stream was a boat, and in the boat were a number of people. Over the people, overshadowing them, was a dim outline of angels. The mind of the artist was that those in the boat were being guarded by angels. So God has overshadowed his children and protected them as the glide down the rough stream of life."

"I saw another picture. It was midnight in the mind of the artist. A mother is bending over a crib in which is lying a sick baby. A dim outline of angels is overshadowing the mother and the sick baby, awaiting to carry the spirit of the little one home to God. So they have stood by us unseen waiting to carry our loved ones to the haven of rest. Let God open our eyes. We would find the same force surrounding and helping us. The forces that we see that are helping us narrow down to a very small company, but when we think of them that are for us that we cannot see, we take courage and go ahead with new faith and hope."

"This text of mine is taken from Jacob's dream; not a baseless fabric, but in a vision sent from God, he was enabled to see. What he saw was no mere thing, but by the power of God he was able to get a glimpse of the forces of heaven that were running up and down the ladder. The ladder always existed, binding earth to heaven. Earth has always been in close connection with the glory world. This ladder has always been crowded with the forces of the sky, running up and down it carrying blessings to God's people. Don't it seem a time there was no communications between earth and heaven, that God was far away? No cry ascended, no help came down. Like Jacob, until God opens our eyes we see but little. If God would unstop our ears we would hear the music. If God would let the scales fall from our eyes we would see the white-robed throng. Heaven is not far away. We live in the suburbs of the heavenly city. Heaven is just around the corner of nature, just a mist between us and the glory world."

"This wanderer thought this old earth an abandoned place. We have many times thought he had a hard place. Very few people are satisfied with their place and their lot, but if God would open their eyes, like Jacob, we would find ourselves lying at the very gate of heaven."

"Angels of God ascending and descending on it. I would not be surprised if God would open our eyes, we would see our own sainted mother or loved ones crowding up and down that ladder to help us."

Mrs. Williams led the afternoon meeting today. She will have just two more meetings, tomorrow and Friday afternoon.

Tonight the subject will be "The Knock of the Nail-Pierced Hand."

GEORGE MEREDITH IS 80

He Is Known as England's Leading Man of Letters.

London, Feb. 12.—George Meredith England's leading man of letters, today celebrated his eightieth birthday. Congratulatory messages were received by the venerable author from friends and admirers in all parts of the world, and he was congratulated in person by a distinguished deputa-tion appointed by the English Society

of Authors, of which he has been president since the death of Lord Tennyson in 1892.

The famous man of letters lives at Flint cottage, Boxhill, Surrey. Of late he has been confined to his home and is a semi-invalid. In the opinion of many London literary authorities, it would have been better if the literary world had rendered its homage to Mr. Meredith not now, but fifty years ago. Then he had already written "The Shaving of Shagpat," "Richard Feverel" and "Modern Love"—a sufficient bulk of achievement to secure his fame.

But at that time he was known only to a small group of admirers, and the great general public hardly realized his existence till "Diana of the Crossways" appeared in 1885.

TRIAL TRIP OF CRUISER

DEEP INTEREST IS MANIFESTED IN THE EVENT IN NATIONAL CIRCLES.

CHESTER OVER ROOKLAND COURSE

The Second Vessel, the Birmingham, is Almost Ready, and Then Will Come the Third Cruiser, Named the Salem.

Washington, Feb. 12.—Great interest is manifested in naval circles in the trial trip of the scout cruiser Chester, to be held today over the course of Rookland, Me.

This is the first vessel of the type to be tested. The second, the Birmingham, is now almost ready and will be tried on March 2. The third ship of the type, the Salem, under construction at Quincy, Mass., has been delayed, with the prospect that it will be some months before the vessel will be ready for the trial run.

The Chester is equipped with the Parsons turbine, and the Birmingham has the ordinary reciprocating engines. The trips will afford an opportunity of direct comparison of the two types of marine propulsion on ships of otherwise identical design and displacement.

The ships will then be held on the Atlantic coast, pending the completion of the Salem, and there will be conducted a series of runs, with a view to tabulating statistics respecting the relative performance of the two types of turbine and the reciprocating engine, the Salem being equipped with the Curtis turbine.

These trips, which are likely to be held in the present year, are expected to have considerable influence in determining the engineering policy of the navy department in the matter of battleship equipment hereafter.

It will be the first opportunity the navy department have had to obtain trustworthy and comprehensive information of correlated value.

Ladies Were Entertained.

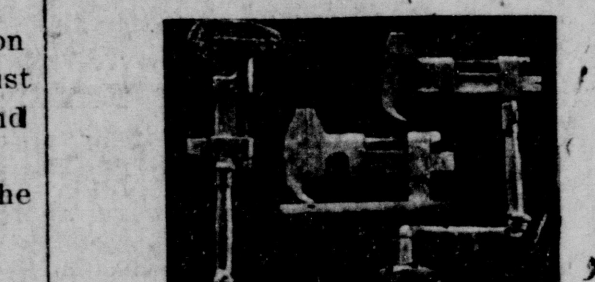
The ladies of the Union Aid society were entertained on the 5th inst., by Mrs. E. B. Reed. There was a large attendance, a splendid dinner and later a fine program was rendered. The society will meet with Mrs. Colby Warren on March 4.

CONSTIPATION

"For over nine years I suffered with chronic constipation and during this time I had to take an injection of warm water once every 24 hours before I could have an action on my bowels. Happily I tried Cascarets, and today I am a well man. During the nine years before I used Cascarets I suffered untold misery with internal piles. Thanks to you I am free from all that this morning. You can use this in behalf of suffering humanity."
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Prices Paid by the Local Dealers for Breadstuffs, Cereals, Etc.

Putter, per lb. 20c to 25c
Potatoes, per bu. 65c to 75c
Eggs, per doz 20c

Cereals and Breadstuffs.
Hard wheat flour, per cwt. \$3.30
Soft wheat our, per cwt. \$2.70
Graham flour, per cwt. \$2.40
Chops, per cwt. \$1.25
Eran, per cwt. \$1.30
Corn, per bu. 55c
Wheat, per bu. 85c

Poultry.
Hens 8c
Roosters 2c
Ducks 5c
Springs 8c
Turkeys 11c

One reads many ads claiming wonderful results. Some we believe, others we don't. We are not trying to deceive you by fancy ads, but simply ask you to try Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea; if it fails, get your money back. 35c, tea or tablet. W. E. Bard Drug Co.

CHAS. D. BROWN'S MAILING LIST.
Chas. D. Brown's mailing list of the city of Sedalia and Pettis county can be found on sale at West's book store.

CLEAN WATER VESSELS.

Do Not Contaminate Flock by Unclean Dishes.

Water troughs or fountains that can easily be cleaned are the only kind that should be used in the poultry yard. Wooden troughs often become slimy, especially in warm weather, though the water in them appears clear and clean.

A broom and soap suds should be used on such troughs, afterwards rinsing thoroughly in clean water. If this task is attended to once a week, and the receptacles filled with fresh water every morning, the hens will be amply supplied with all the fresh water they need, if it is kept out of the sun.

If ducks are kept, wooden troughs will be found the most convenient, and in using these slats of lath should be nailed across the top to prevent the ducks wallowing in the water, rendering it filthy and a creating a sloppy, muddy place in the yard.

To Get Eggs.

Among other things, it takes lime, protein and fat-producing materials to produce eggs and keep the hens in flesh. It is estimated that a bushel of corn will feed 160 hens one day, but it contains only lime and protein enough to make 32 eggs, while it has fat-forming elements enough for two days' feed for 160 hens. This shows the necessity of having a variety of feed in which there is more lime and protein. Is it any wonder hens do not lay in the winter when they are fed nothing but corn?

Be Regular.

Because sheep are easily cared for do not neglect to salt and water them regularly. This is an absolute necessity if you wish to keep the flock in the most healthy condition.

Classics on the Turf.

"Do you think scholarship assists a man to pecuniary success?" "I should say not," answered the patron of the races. "Half the time the bookmakers can't pronounce correctly the names of the horses on which they win the most money."

National Pet Stock Show.

Jacksonville, Fla., Feb. 12.—In connection with the Florida International

Mid-Winter exposition, a pet stock, dog, bird and cat show was opened today and will continue four days. Entries have been received from many parts of the country.

THE EVOLUTION

Of Cod Liver Oil—The Latest and Most Valuable Form.

Early in the seventeenth century physicians became aware of the fact that the cod's livers and their oil contained medicinal elements of great value in the treatment of pulmonary scrofulous, wasting diseases and chronic rheumatism.

In using cod liver oil in its original form they discovered that the oil, in which the valuable curative elements were embodied, was very objectionable, and of no medicinal value. How to separate or extract these medicinal properties of the cod's livers from the objectionable oil was the question.

After years of experimenting they produced three different and distinct kinds of cod liver oil, namely—the clear pale, the light brown and the brown. The clear pale was that which was first extracted from the cod's livers. The light brown was obtained by boiling the livers after the clear or pale oil had been extracted, and the brown oil was the result of pressing the residue.

None of these products, however, were free from the nauseating oil, and no one of them contained all of the medicinal elements known to exist in the cod's liver. It remained for two eminent French chemists, Morgues and Gautier, to produce the perfect cod liver preparation. After twenty years of study and labor they discovered an extractive and concentrating process which enabled them to separate from the fresh cod's livers and their oil all of the medicinal, healing and body building elements, and discard the oil entirely, and it is by this process that Vinol is made.

To these valuable cod liver extractives is added peptonate of iron, which produces Vinol, a remedy unexcelled in the treatment of all pulmonary and wasting diseases, and to restore health and strength to feeble old people, delicate children and after sickness. We ask any such person in Sedalia to try it on our guarantee to return the money if it fails to give satisfaction. W. E. Bard Drug Co., Sedalia, Mo.

Mr. Butler Erecting Cottage.

John Butler, the contractor, is erecting a handsome cottage, to be occupied by his family, at Eleventh and Prospect streets.

BABY'S VOICE

the exquisite thrill of motherhood with indescribable dread and fear. Every woman should know that the danger, pain and horror of childbirth can be entirely avoided by the use of Mother's Friend, a scientific liniment for external use only, which toughens and renders pliable all the parts, and assists nature in its sublime work. By its aid thousands of women have passed this great crisis in perfect safety and without pain.

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THE LODGES

Masonic Notice.
Sedalia chapter No. 18, Royal Arch Masons, meets in regular convocation Thursday evening, February 13, at 7:30. All Companions are requested to be present. Visiting companions fraternally invited.
E. A. Sisson, H. P.
J. W. MALLERY, Secy.

Modern Woodmen, Attention.
Sedalia camp No. 5570, M. W. A., meets every Thursday night at 8 o'clock in the K. of P. hall, at 114 East Fifth street. Visiting neighbors are cordially invited to attend.
S. W. JAMES, Consul.
E. E. CODDING, Clerk.

A SUNDAY SCHOOL MEET

Religious Workers From All Over the Province Present.

Montreal, Feb. 12.—With religious workers from all over the province present, the Quebec Sunday School union opened its seventy-first annual convention in the American Presbyterian church this afternoon. An elementary conference was the opening feature.

The convention will continue through tomorrow and Friday, and among the prominent speakers will be Mrs. Mary Foster Bryner, international field secretary, and the Rev. Edward M. Fuller, general secretary of the Vermont Sunday School union.

What Everybody Wants.
Everybody desires good health, which is impossible unless the kidneys are healthy. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects irregularities and cures all forms of kidney or bladder disorders. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy at once and prevent Bright's disease and diabetes. Arlington Pharmacy.

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PERSONALS

Meerscham pipes—Arlington Pharmacy.

Harry Hawkins went to Windsor today on business.

I. B. Walker went to Cole Camp today on business.

George Mackey went to Columbia today on business.

Pearl Tenfel made a business visit at Knob Noster today.

T. T. Duncan went to Jefferson City this morning on business.

C. E. Yeater returned this afternoon from Excelsior Springs.

Miss Mary Riley went to Clinton yesterday to visit relatives.

R. A. Higdon made a business visit at Warrensburg today.

J. B. Brown left this morning for a business visit at Moberly.

Frank Keller will go to Kansas City this week on business.

Miss Victory Ramsey, who is ill with la grippe, is no better.

W. P. Harp went to Warrensburg and Holden today on business.

H. B. Harnsberger made a business trip to Leeton this morning.

Mrs. H. V. Leist went to Warrensburg this morning for a brief visit.

E. T. Thomson left this morning for a business visit at Cole Camp.

Lee Riley returned this morning from a business visit in Kansas City.

Mrs. Minna Stafford, of Windsor, is visiting the family of Robert Ramsey.

Miss Grace Carman left this afternoon for a two weeks' visit in Kansas City.

Payton A. Parks, of Clinton, is in the city today, attending circuit court.

Miss Margaret Thompson, of St. Louis, is the guest of Miss Nelle Hayman.

David Stern left this morning for a business visit at North Jefferson and Fulton.

Miss Lena Hardey came down this morning from Lamonte for a few hours' visit.

Col. G. H. Pountain returned this afternoon from a business visit in Kansas City.

R. T. Hanna, of Sherman, Texas, went to California, Mo., this morning on business.

Mrs. S. W. Castle left this morning for a few days' visit with relatives at Booneville.

Miss Kate Zarr arrived here today from Solon, Ia., to visit her brother, John Zarr, and family.

C. J. Hieronymus, the auctioneer, went to Hughesville today to conduct a sale for Griffin Bros.

W. H. Powell, Judge George F. Langan and H. D. Muir returned last night from Kansas City.

Mrs. William Tedford left this morning for a visit of two weeks with friends at Mt. Vernon, Ia.

Miss Etta Hurley returned this afternoon from a delightful visit of several weeks in St. Louis.

J. S. Brenneman, publisher of the

Capital, has gone to Goshen, Ind., for a visit with home folks.

City Clerk Charles E. Baker left this morning for a business visit at Coffeyville and Pittsburg, Kan.

Lawyer Walter Davis and Charles Burcham, both of Windsor, are here visiting Robert Ramsey and family.

Rev. Arthur Hunt returned to Tipton today to conduct funeral services over the remains of Mrs. J. S. Slinger.

Miss Mabel Hooker returned home to Kansas City this afternoon, after visiting the family of Mrs. S. M. Ewart.

W. D. Fellows and wife came up from Windsor this morning, and are the guests of W. O. B. Dixon and family.

M. C. Mett, representing a Louisville, Ky., millinery, is in the city on business, and is stopping at the Antlers hotel.

Officer Fred Robertson returned this morning from Norfolk, Va., to which point he took Luther Reinert, a deserter from the United States navy.

George E. Spears was in from his home on rural route No. 1, Hughesville, today, and left a renewal for the daily Democrat-Sentinel for another year.

Pat Sullivan, a Spring Fork farmer, was in the city last night, on his way home, after having a consignment of cattle on the St. Louis market yesterday.

Mrs. Irene Temple Nelson and little son, David, and Mrs. Paul Huckins, of Texarkana, Ark., will arrive tomorrow for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Temple.

Mrs. H. F. Abrahams, of Trinidad, Col., arrived here at noon today to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Meyers. Mrs. Abrahams was before her marriage Miss Ida Meyers.

Say it Was Not Suicide.

The family of Miss Mamie Kahl, who died in Kansas City last Sunday night, have investigated the case and say it was not suicide. Instead, Miss Kahl took a second dose of chloroform to quiet her nerves, but it proved to be an overdose and caused her death.

Had a Tumor Removed.

John Buckman, a Bell Telephone Co. teamster, was operated upon for a tumor at his home in the eastern suburbs of the city by Drs. Shirk and Cole this morning. A report from his bedside this afternoon is that he is resting comfortably.

Wed By Judge Hoffman.

Grover E. Noel and Mettie M. Cole, both of Houstonia, were married by Circuit Judge Hoffman at Recorder Morey's office this afternoon.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Hitchcock*

He Knew How.

"How," asked the young man who had just bought the village paper and desired to win prominence as an editor, "can I get the public to become interested in my journal? I know the principal thing is to make a good paper, but if nobody takes it how will anyone find out that it is good? Something must be done to attract attention—to cause the people to understand that we are on our feet." "That'll be easy," said the traveling printer, who had stopped over to assist in putting the patient on its feet. "Just print an item saying that a certain preacher in this town will get into trouble if he doesn't cease paying attentions to a certain married member of his flock and cease quick. I'll bet the paper containing that item won't be off the press 40 minutes before there's a copy of it in every house in this town."—Chicago Record-Herald.

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The petticoats which go on sale Thursday at \$1.75 are our regular \$2.50 values reduced for this sale. Did you ever see any that you thought were prettier?

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Three More Days of the White Wear Sale

TAKE ARMS AGAINST FLIES.

Are Said to Be More Dangerous Than the Tiger or Cobra.

We are rather glad that the common fly is to get its due as a disseminator of deadly disease, and that scientific folks are beginning to take arms against it. Hitherto the ordinary fly, the *Musca domestica*, has been regarded as annoying rather than dangerous. Its low tastes have been recognized, and feeble efforts have been made to protect us from its excessive familiarity. It has shown itself superior, however, to the influence alike of fly paper, patent fly killers and window screens. As an early riser it has quite outdone the lark, and as a disturber of late sleepers on summer mornings it has been more potent than the alarm clock.

Nevertheless, the housefly has been regarded complacently as a harmless nuisance, as a natural object lesson in persistency, as a rather pretty thing to look at. Children have been taught that to kill flies is cruel. Only lately London Punch has illustrated the natural killing propensity of the average Briton in its tale of the convalescent small boy who asked to be lifted from his bed to the window, as he felt strong enough to kill a fly. The scientific revelations of this week transform that British small boy into a hero.

The common fly is more dangerous than the tiger or the cobra. Worse than that, he is as bad as the mosquito. Hereafter we must take no half measures with flies. The theory that they are here for some good purpose must be overlooked. Kill the flies.

Pest of Lumber Trade.

The forest service has undertaken experiments at Bogalusa, La., with the object of rendering lumber immune from the attacks of bluing, thereby stopping what at present is a serious loss.

Bluing is due to the growth of low forms of fungi, all of which probably belong to the genus *Ceratostomella*. This plant is too low in the scale of life to produce true seeds, but as a substitute it produces microscopic organisms called spores, which when ripe are carried away by the wind in countless numbers.

The air of forests, and especially around many lumber yards, is so infested with such spores that when timber is placed in the yard to dry it is infected with them. If the timber happens to be moist and possesses necessary food to support the life of the plant the spores immediately germinate and send little threads, or hyphae, into the tissues.

Their action decomposes the sap and causes the wood to become discolored. The deterioration in value of lumber on account of this pest amounts to thousands of dollars each year.—American Industries.

Disturbed the Peace.

Hayden Williams, colored, arrested for disturbing the peace at J. F. M. Counce's home, was fined \$1 and costs by Judge Rickman today.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Hitchcock*

"The Heart of an Indian."

The management of the Sedalia theater has decided to make a price of 25 cents for any seat in the house Sunday night when "The Heart of an Indian," a western melo drama, will be presented. Miss Clara Belcher will be seen in the role of Quilo. The management say they want to pack the popular house that night, and at the above prices there is no doubt but that they will. Seats will be reserved.

Concert Tonight.

There will be a musical entertainment at Hill's Business college tonight at 8 o'clock, to which everybody is cordially invited. No admission will be charged and a pleasant evening is promised.

At the Unique.

Rapier and Rapier, comedy sketch artists, are producing plenty of entertainment at the Unique this week and are alone worth the admission price. But in addition there are the Loretas, who are about the cleverest acrobats that have appeared at this theater, and Al Herman, the black face comedian, who makes you laugh whether you want to or not. The bill in its entirety is good, and is one of the best that has been put on this season at this popular house.

A Card of Thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kahl and family desire to thank their friends, especially Mr. and Mrs. John Scally, and Mr. and Mrs. Clell Miller, for the kindness extended during their recent bereavement—the death of their daughter.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Hitchcock*

Mr. McEniry is President.

At the last meeting of the commissioners of the Six-Mile road district Charles McEniry was elected president of the board, with W. H. Powell as secretary and George Menefee as treasurer. There are five or six applicants for the position of superintendent, now held by Ben Gorrell, who is a candidate for reappointment.

"CHARLATANS"

And senders of poor glasses have done much to harm the eyes and bring the science of optics into disrepute. It need scarcely be said to the intelligent person that great care should be exercised in the selection of glasses to aid the vision. Our expert, F. D. Ormond, has had years of experience and all of the instruments that science has invented to bring the sense of sight to perfection and preserve it. A thorough examination given in every case.

ORMOND & KLUEBER,
317 Ohio Street.

Plans a Big Game Preserve.

Henry Carnegie Phipps, whose engagement to Miss Gladys Mills was recently announced, is planning to have one of the largest game preserves on Long Island. It was for that ultimate purpose that he purchased the old Dun estate between Hempstead and Wantagh.

The young people, who will probably be married the first week in December, are to live on a beautiful new estate near Westbury, where Mr. Phipps has allied himself with the Meadow Brook set.

In the art of riding to hounds few excel Miss Mills, who, by the way, was one of those to finish with the men of the field the other day at the hunt of the Meadow Brook club, on which occasion Paul Rainey acted as M. F. H., and when Scott Cameron and C. Caswell came croppers, but were not seriously hurt.

The Rift in the Cloud.

It was toward the end of the noon hour, and one of the clerks stopped to chat with the telephone operator before going back to his ledgers. "Have you noticed," he inquired, "how the price of everything is going up nowadays?" "Have I!" sympathized the girl at the switchboard.

"Terrible, isn't it? Now they have even raised the price of milk. Next thing we'll have to pay a dime to ride on the street cars."

The girl sighed with apprehension. "Well," she said, "it's dreadful, but as long as chewing gum remains the same I suppose I can exist."

In Kansas.

"How did you make out on your run through Kansas?" queried the friend. "Pretty rough," replied the motorist. "Cyclone came along and carried the machine into the next county at the rate of 60 miles an hour." "Whew! Bet you were shocked!" "Well, I should say so. While I was picking myself out of the mix-up and counting the bruises a constable came along and arrested me for speeding."—Chicago News.

Advancement.

Miss A.—And that nephew of yours who—er—ran away, don't you know, and joined the army, how is he getting on?

Miss B. (proudly)—Oh, very well, indeed. He's just been made private secretary to the lance corporal of his regiment.—Punch.

O! for a Stronger Term!
"Dear?" exclaimed his wife, as she handed to the saleswoman the hat she had wheedled him into buying. "Why I wouldn't call it dear, at all."

"No," replied her husband, savagely, "neither would I if all these ladies weren't present."—Philadelphia Press.

If You Knew

The merits of Texas Wonder, you would never suffer from kidney, bladder or rheumatic trouble, \$1 bottle two months' treatment, sold by W. E. Bard Drug Co. Testimonials with each bottle.

Cleaning Ohio Avenue.

Street men are at work this afternoon washing Ohio avenue.

Had Couple of Initiations.
Garnet council No. 765, Fraternal Aid association, initiated two candi-

dates Tuesday night and arranged a literary program to be given the night of the 25th inst.

NOTED INDIAN RUNNER

Will Run Ten Miles Against Three Speedy Men.

Boston, Feb. 12.—Arrangements have been completed for the appearance here tomorrow evening of Tom Longboat. The noted Canadian runner will run a ten-mile race against three speedy men at the Park square indoor track. Longboat's last appearance here was last April 19, when he won the Marathon race in the world's record time of 2 hours, 24 minutes and 20.25 seconds.

While the Indian will run ten miles, his opponents will relay at the end of 3 1/2 miles each, and Longboat will make a determined effort to lower the record made by Alfred Shrubbs at the Coliseum. The opponents of the Indian will be Percy Sellen and Claude Pierce, of Toronto, and Bill Cummings, the star from Scotland, who has just arrived.

No flower could at all compare With this pretty lass so young and fair; Her step is light, her heart is free, Since taking Rocky Mountain Tea. W. E. Bard Drug Co.

Wed by the Rev. Miller.

Perry Williams, a farmer living six miles west of the city, and Miss Nettie Jolly, of 916 South Monticue avenue, were married this afternoon at the home of the bride by the Rev. R. C. Miller, pastor of the East Sedalia Baptist church.

Cascarets—Arlington Pharmacy.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Mayor.
The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce J. W. Patrick as a candidate for mayor of the city of Sedalia, subject to the action of the democratic city convention.

WANT HIM REMOVED

After the Scalp of Postmaster at Springfield, Mo.

Washington, Feb. 12.—Jesse B. Ross, postmaster at Springfield, Mo., has been recommended for removal to the postmaster general. The case is pending before the postoffice department and it is by no means certain that the recommendation which comes from the force of postoffice inspectors will be carried out. As near as can be learned the recommendation grows out of a personal quarrel and row between the postmaster and one of the postoffice inspectors, Robinson, by name, who was located for a few months at Springfield.

Strong influences have been brought to bear in behalf of Mr. Ross to save him if possible. There is every prospect that they will have the effect of delaying summary action in his case, and it may indefinitely postpone action if not an actual rejection of the inspector's recommendation.

DRAPERIES, CARPETS AND RUGS—A. W. MCKENZIE, 114 EAST FIFTH STREET.

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Change of program every Thursday and Sunday.

Performances afternoons and nights. Three matinees on Saturdays and Sundays.

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I WILL TELL YOU!

It is because his prices are reasonable; his work is good. His office is furnished with the latest improvements, which enable him to do work painless. Dr. White has been in Sedalia three years and expects to stay. He will do work for the next thirty days at these prices:

Set of Teeth.....7.00	Porcelain Crowns.....3.50
Gold Crown.....5.00	Gold Fillings.....1.50
Bridge Teeth.....5.00	Silver Fillings.....50c

Painless Extracting.....50c

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ARE YOU TIED TO WASH DAY?

Do you, like hundreds of women, labor over a wash tub for hours every week? Did you ever think what a relief it would be not to have to do it?

We can do your washing right—call for and deliver it. Family Washing, 35c Per Dozen Pieces, or 5c Per Pound. New and better service.

SEDALIA-MONARCH LAUNDRY

CHAS. VAN ANTWERP, Pres.
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Last Chance!

This week only on valuable enameled ware at the great reduction price. Now selling at 10c each. They are bargains—if you don't believe it, ask your neighbor who has purchased some of them. Full line of staple and fancy groceries and hardware.

The Big Saw,

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Price Best Quality Furniture Co. Reasonable Prices 514 S. Ohio

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THE ESCAPE

Interesting Captivating Exciting

These terms describe the new series
we will begin publishing next
Sunday Morning

The Escapade

A Post-Marital
Romance

By CYRUS TOWNSEND BRADY

In this story Dr. Brady introduces to his readers an American girl of the revolutionary period who has become the wife of an English naval officer. The marriage is a happy one until the wife is introduced to English society into which she does not fit, and a serious quarrel and separation follows her first house-party, and My Lord finds he must "a courting go" a second time to win back the affections of his wife.

In the story is another demure American maiden to whom love is appealing for the first time, and who follows the fortunes of her friend and countrywoman very much against her wishes.

No story by Dr. Brady would be considered complete did the ocean not enter into it, and in this one his heroine is a daughter of an American sailor and merchantman, and she takes to the water fearlessly when attempting to escape from her marriage bonds.

You will be interested in the clever tale, and in the way in which King George takes a part in again bringing together the estranged couple.

There is a subtle humor and appealing pathos woven together in the rapid action of the story, in the whole of which there is not a single dull line. We will present it to our readers in the near future with the conviction that it will appeal to each and every one of them.

THE ESCAPE

CORPSE ON THE PILOT

Carried Through Town After Auto Had Been Crushed.

Rushville, Ind., Feb. 12.—The grim spectacle of the lifeless form of Dr. O. P. Dillon, a prominent local physician, sitting in an upright position on the pilot of a C. H. & D. passenger train was the startling sight which met the eyes of many churchgoers here at noon Sunday as the train sped through the residence district of the city.

The physician had a few minutes before started out to make a country call and was riding in a contained

automobile. Near the tracks he tried to stop his machine when he saw the approaching train, but on account of the icy streets the car skidded upon the railroad track, when the engine struck and completely demolished it. Dr. Dillon was instantly killed, a hole near the base of the brain, however, being the only mark of injury found on the body. Engineer Dooley, who killed ex-Sheriff George Wilson at the same crossing ten years ago, was unable to stop his train until he had run about three blocks.

No Case on Record.

There is no case on record of a cough or cold resulting in pneumonia or consumption after Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken. It stops the cough and breaks up the cold quickly. Refuse any but the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in a yellow package. Arlington Pharmacy.

Money—Money—Money.

If you wish to borrow money on real estate or if you wish to loan money on real estate, in either case be sure and see me before doing business.—G. M. Riddle, the real estate and loan man, 210 Ohio street, over Guenther's store, Sedalia, Mo.

A CHICAGO NEWS LETTER

SOMETHING IN REGARD TO THE
WHEAT CROP OF UNIT-
ED STATES.

TIMBER VANDALISM ACCOMPLISHED

Remarkable Speed in Typewriting—
Pretentious Estates Near the
Lakeside City—The Recent
Financial Flurry.

Chicago, Feb. 12.—Summaries furnished to members of the Chicago Board of Trade confirm the recent assertion of a French savant that the world's population is increasing its consumption of wheat faster than it is increasing its wheat crops. In the United States in 1871 the population of 39,600,000 put 20,000,000 acres into wheat and was lucky enough to produce 231,000,000 bushels—which amounted to 5.8 bushels for every man, woman and child. But each man, woman and child ate only 4.7 bushels. In 1901 the acreage in wheat had increased to 49,000,000 acres and the crop to 748,000,000 bushels, which was 9.7 bushels per capita, and the exports were 41 per cent of the crop, instead of 22 per cent in 1871. But in 1907 the 85,000,000 people of the United States only had a crop of 7.4 bushels per capita—634,000,000 bushels—one reason being that fewer acres were planted to wheat. The consumption had increased, however, to 7.1 bushels for every man, woman and child, which left the exports less and was one big factor in making "dollar wheat." Now it is the price of corn that is climbing and due, it is said, to the poor quality of the corn crop of 1907; so much of it was not fit to be kept long that the really good corn has commanded better prices. As soon as field work begins again the shipments will drop and the demand is expected to advance prices.

Practically all the timber in the region of the headwaters of the Mississippi has been cut. The vandalism is accomplished and now it will be "feast or famine" of water for the Mississippi river and the transportation interests that hope to navigate it. In time the reservation will be reforested, but in the meantime the public will pay heavily for its failure to stop the raid on the timber, by which the big pine lumber interests grew some "swollen fortunes." At the time the Morris bill became effective, allowing the sale of 95 per cent of the standing timber on the Chippewa Indian reservation, there was offered for sale 562,760,000 feet, and the actual cut up to Jan. 1 of this year was 539,001,908 feet, board measure. There was estimated to be a total of 912,760,000 feet of lumber on the reservation, but the "lumberman" in the United States forest service at Cass lake has reported that all estimates overran about 50 per cent; that Jan. 1 there remained to be cut only 275,000,000 feet, already sold. When the lumberjacks come out of the woods this spring and start the logs down the stream to the saws the Father of Waters will have lost its "sponge" for the rains and snows will not be held back by forests, to seep out slowly through the summer.

What change has been wrought in the business methods of the United States by the use of shorthand and typewriters was shown by the prominence given to both at the national business show held in Chicago last week, an annual event in this city, Pittsburgh and New York. In the speed contests a young man covered himself with honors and sheets of white paper with marks of his flying typewriter keys by making a record of 2,642 words in half an hour. His nearest competitor, a young woman, produced 2,001 words. He won a prize of \$100 in gold and a trip to Europe, where he will compete in the world's championship contests in London. In England the British conservatism has barred the typewriter from some of the big banks, the depositors still being furnished with the quill pen at the counters. In many of the law offices the English barristers, with infinite labor, still scrawl their briefs by hand and write autograph letters to their clients. A Chicago girl, Miss Rose Fritz, now holds the world's championship for typewriter speed. Although the exhibits of new devices and systems were interesting, the foremost position was given to contests in reporting speeches in 2-minute relays—which in a campaign year seems appropriate. As soon as the speech was completed the typewritten copies of it were distributed in the crowd, to the amazement of all who did not know the rapidity with which court records are made every day in the year.

The apparent vanishing into thin air of 76,500,000 of stock certificates in Chicago stock yards companies

owned by J. Ogden Armour, Louis F. Swift, Edward Morris and other millionaire packers is an interesting feature of the annual comedy of tax evasion which is now being played in this city. Presumably the stocks are in existence, but when the personal property assessment lists for Chicago were made out, not one cent of it was found for taxation. This somewhat piqued the county assessors, but their annoyance heightened to general alarm when an investigation in New York failed to reveal the stocks. New Jersey taxes nothing but the original issue, so no help was found there and now the assessors are wondering whether the stock jumped into the lake or what happened to it, anyway. Meanwhile, J. Ogden Armour, whose personal fortune is supposed to range anywhere from \$25,000,000 up, purports to pay taxes on \$40,000 worth of assessable property. A still more striking example of economy among the rich is found in the case of A. W. Green, president of the National Biscuit Co., the so-called "cracker trust." Mr. Green, who has a palatial home on East Fifth street, and is the head of a company with \$55,000,000 of assessable stock held in Chicago, is said to pay a personal property tax of exactly \$28.80. This is no more than is paid every year by scores of men who are not in the "magnate class." Certainly, taxation, as practiced in Chicago, is a wonderful social leveler.

In emulation of the New York standard of country house and Newport cottage, some of the Chicago millionaires already have some very pretentious estates, and more are getting them. In the wooded quiet near Barrington, Ill., H. I. Miller, the president of the Chicago and Eastern Illinois railroad, and Spencer Otis have purchased 1,600 acres of land for \$160,000, and will spend \$100,000 on homes of more or less bucolic simplicity. To make a lake, forty acres will be excavated and flooded. Stables, garages and houses, with "thatched roof effects," will help in bringing the sylvan solitudes up to a point of the "happy naturalness" desired.

That the money flurry has proved a stimulus to emigration, colonization and active investments in the land had midwinter corroboration in the announcement here that the Canadian Northern railway had sold a tract of 100,000 acres in the Saskatchewan plains, west of Saskatoon, a cash transaction of probably a million dollars. This land was purchased by J. F. Luse, of St. Paul, for a colony of Germans from Iowa, Nebraska and Kansas, who will remove in the spring to occupy a portion of the tract. Specific cases like this are numerous in this city, which is the headquarters of many colonization movements. In connection with this, the comment was made by Davidson & McRae, general agents for the Canadian Northern, that emigration to Western Canada this year will be heavier than heretofore, the money pinch in the United States having increased investments in real estate in Canada, as in the United States. It is the experience of the railways of Canada that tight money and unfavorable industrial conditions stimulate emigration to the new agricultural regions of Western Canada.

Steps have been taken by the superintendents of Chicago schools to use as supplementary readers a volume of Greek myths, which gives also the art of the world that is founded on those myths—a kind of thing which illustrates how the old "three R" method of education has been modified. That Chicago, so long considered prosaic and commercial, should take a lead in perpetuating the folk lore that is classic and in teaching some knowledge of art along with the "three Rs," is an interesting commentary on this cosmopolitan city. Waiters of foreign birth in the restaurants of this city know more about music and art than most native-born Americans do; and the foreign-born population of Chicago, it should be remembered, is over 800,000. The Prangs, of New York, have for years urged the value of art knowledge as a means to divert and stimulate the minds of people away from the inevitable questions of their bread and butter and wages. It remained for a western educator, Charles E. Mann, formerly president of the Illinois State Teachers association, to produce the book that was considered practical for publication by the Prangs and marks the adoption of education of this kind.

A movement for co-operation between the railroads and the shippers of the country as the only way to solve the railroad problem had its origin last week in the offer of the Chicago shippers to meet the railroads part way. In return, the railroads were told that they must cease thinking of their property as personal, private property, and should refrain from doing things which affect the rights of the shippers without conference with them. H. C. Barlow, the executive director of the Chicago

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THE "ALSO RANS" TO TALK

DEFEATED DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES FOR GOVERNOR OF EMPIRE STATE.

AUGUSTUS VAN WYCK TO PRESIDE

He Was the Party Candidate in 1898, When Theodore Roosevelt Was Elected—Some of the Other Orators.

Association of Commerce, who voiced these views on behalf of the shippers, did not stand on ceremony in telling officers of the western railroad systems what they would have to do. "If the railroads are to be saved from themselves," he said, "and if the railroads and commerce are to be saved from the mob, co-operation between the shippers and the railroads is necessary. The success of the railroads depends upon commerce infinitely more than the success of commerce depends upon the railroads. You can not expect to successfully appeal to the country when you continually, from adrope or whim or desire to gain some advantage, and often without any material increase in your revenues, disrupt arrangements which have been in effect for years." This demand of the shippers is significant, coming as it does on the heels of the American Railway association's report that railroad equipment representing more than \$450,000,000 of capital is now lying idle on account of the industrial depression.

SENSIBLE HOB BY

Well Known People Devote Spare Time to Upbuilding Health.

There is no excuse today for any person, unless afflicted with an incurable disease, to remain sickly with the great advance in medical discoveries.

Stomach troubles are scarcely known to those who have physical culture as their hobby.

To those suffering with indigestion and stomach troubles, the discovery of Mi-o-na stomach tablets is a blessing. This treatment strengthens the muscles of the stomach and bowels and cures the worst cases of indigestion and stomach weakness.

The W. E. Bard Drug Co. show their faith in the curative powers of Mi-o-na by giving a guarantee with every 50 cent box to refund the money unless the remedy does all that is claimed for it. They take the whole risk and Mi-o-na will not cost you a penny unless it cures.

Merchants' Lunch.

At LeGrand hotel, 12 o'clock. 25c. Lunch ticket good for 21 lunches \$4.50

WARRENSBURG LARD

12½c lb

Just Like Country Lard, at

P. BRANDT Grocer Company

New York, Feb. 12.—Defeated democratic candidates for governor of the Empire state will have the places of honor at tonight's dinner of the National Democratic club.

Former Justice Augustus A. Van Wyck will preside, former Justice D. Cady Herrick will be the special guest of honor, John B. Stanchfield, of Elmira, and Bird S. Coler and Edward M. Shepard, of Brooklyn, are among those who will speak.

Judge Van Wyck was the democratic candidate for governor in 1898, when Theodore Roosevelt was elected; Stanchfield ran against Odell in 1900, and Coler was the democracy's gubernatorial candidate in 1902. Judge Herrick ran against Higgins in 1904. Mr. Shepard was the democratic candidate for mayor of New York in 1901, when Seth Low was elected by a republican-citizens' union fusion.

All those who will sit at the guests' table are characterized by the committee of arrangements as "old line" democrats, but it is a notable fact that not one of them is opposed to Bryan. In this respect the array of speakers at the coming dinner differs strikingly from those who have spoken at recent dinners of the club. Judge Herrick will essay the role of harmonizer. His address will be on "The Essentials of Democracy," and he will endeavor to show that radicals and conservatives can obtain all they can rightly ask by adopting the doctrines of the democratic party. He does not agree with Bryan in all the latter's views, but has always supported him as a candidate of the party. In 1896 he was the only up-state democrat of prominence who evinced publicly any great enthusiasm for the Nebraskan. Mr. Bryan is said to remember this with gratitude—and will reprint Judge Herrick's speech in The Commoner. All the speeches made at the dinner will be printed in pamphlet form for distribution among democrats.

NEGRO BISHOPS IN SESSION

Said to Be Dissatisfied With Status of Race in South.

Washington, Feb. 12.—A council of the negro bishops of the African Methodist Episcopal church, the Negro Methodist Episcopal church and the African Methodist Episcopal Zion church, representing over 2,000,000 of the colored citizens of the country, was inaugurated here today.

Bishop Henry Turner, head of the African church; Bishop L. H. Holsey, senior bishop of the Negro sec., and

Bishop J. W. Hood, of the Zion church, will preside jointly at the sessions. It is alleged that the bishops are dissatisfied with the political status of the negro in the south.

The call for the council said: "The ecclesiastical, religious, civil, political and sociological conditions of our race at this time are such that they require attention, mature reflection and expression, and possibly committal expression, as we have to bear the burdens of government."

YACHT CLUB OFFICERS

The Annual Election Being Held in San Francisco.

San Francisco, Feb. 12.—At the annual election of the San Francisco Yacht club here today, the regular ticket will probably go through without opposition.

It consists of F. G. Phillips, for commodore, J. R. Hanify for vice commodore, John Marshall for port captain, Harry A. Russell for secretary, Lawrence Wagner for financial secretary, Joseph L. King, jr., for treasurer, H. A. W. Dinning for measurer.

The nominees for commodore, port captain and measurer have served during the last year. The others are men who have not held office in the club heretofore.

Bread is the staff of life, if it's good bread; then eat bread made from "Pride of Perry" and enjoy good health.

Election in Holt March 7.

Oregon, Mo., Feb. 12.—The county court of Holt county has called an election for March 7 to decide the local option question.

HOLLISTER'S Rocky Mountain Tea Nuggets

A Easy Medicine for Busy People. Brings Golden Health and Renewed Vigor. A specific for Constipation, Indigestion, Liver and Kidney troubles, Pimples, Eczema, Impure Blood, Bad Breath, Stomach Bloating, Headache, 24 Backache. Its Rocky Mountain Tea in tablet form, 35 cents a box. Genuine made by HOLLISTER'S DRUG COMPANY, Madison, Wis. GOLDEN NUGGETS FOR SALLOW PEOPLE

For sale by W. E. Bard Drug Co.

Cupid's Darts and Lovers' Hearts

FEBRUARY 14. The day sacred to St. Valentine, will soon be here. Everyone, especially the young people, will want to observe the pretty custom of sending little tokens of love and friendship. Our stock of

VALENTINES

is new and large. Lots of pretty but inexpensive ones. The latest creations in lace and flowers. A full line of comic ones. Whether you want Valentines for fun or sentiment, this is the place to come for wide choice and low prices.

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Spring Cleaning Simplified BY PAPERING AND FRESHENING WOODWORK NOW. A CARLOAD OF WALL PAPER JUST ARRIVED NEW GOODS AND NOVELTIES FOR 1908. Estimates Cheerfully Furnished.

You live too long and too intimately with your interior decorations to risk disappointment and dissatisfaction by a hasty selection sandwiched between the worries and confusions of housecleaning whenever it can be avoided. It is Worth Your While to Select Now at

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CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR RENT

For Rent—Eight room house, bath, cellar, barn. Inquire 820 W. Third.

For Rent—Four room house with barn. Inquire Ninth and New York.

For Rent—A strictly modern eight-room house. Apply 203 West Broadway.

For Rent—Seven room house, 902 East Fifth. Apply Mrs. S. J. Iovett, 300 West Third street.

For Rent—Six room cottage, 420 West Sixth street. Inquire 422 West Sixth street.

For Rent—Eight room house, 422 South Quincy. Apply 500 South Quincy. Phone 17.

For Rent—Modern cottage, 611 W. Third street; seven rooms; bath and furnace.—W. H. VanWagner.

For Rent—Eight room house, newly papered and painted; also a five-room house. Apply 904 Montau street or Bell phone 355.

For Rent—Three furnished rooms down stairs, suitable for light house-keeping. Inquire at 110 West Jefferson street.

For Rent—A nicely furnished modern house; reasonable terms to the right party. Address "L. M." care Democrat-Sentinel.

FOR SALE

For Sale—Twenty cords good mixed wood. J. A. Pollard, Route 2, Beaman, Mo.

For Sale—Four delivery horses, one surrey, fifteen cords of oak wood, 150 oak posts. W. H. Beach, Ilgenritz building.

For Sale—130 acre farm, 8 miles southwest of Sedalia; 50 acres of timber, good house and barn and other good outbuildings, and plenty of water. Sold at a bargain if sold at once, on easy terms. R. M., care of Democrat-Sentinel.

WILL HELP THE WIDOWS

Citizen of Dwight, Illinois, Who is Eighty Years Old.

Dwight, Ill., Feb. 12.—A prominent citizen of Dwight, whose name has been suppressed, will tomorrow celebrate his eightieth birthday by distributing cash donations among all the widows of the community. The philanthropist received many responses to an advertisement, inserted in a local paper, and it is stated that the distribution will be a liberal one. The advertisement in which he announced his novel project was as follows:

"Every widow residing within the

R. C. DOLPH & CO.

Three Stores—114 West Main, 811 West Main, 227 East Fifth. BOTH PHONES.

CASH TALKS WITH US!

THIS WEEK WE OFFER YOU: Polled oats (Little Js.) 3 pkgs. .25c Red salmon, per can. .15c Yellow table peaches, per can. .20c Bacon, extra mid, per lb. .15c Hams (bone out and fat and skin removed), per lb. .12c

Prunes, 3 lbs. .25c Coal oil—the best—5 gallons. .45c

Have you tried our Koban coffee? If not, try it once and compare it with what you are now paying 25c for. Per lb. .20c

Fine dill pickles, per doz. .15c Sweet mixed pickles, per qt. .25c

Come and see us; we will save you money and will give you first-class goods.

Michigan salt; special this week, per barrel .125

Satisfaction guaranteed.

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corporate limits of Dwight and actually in need of assistance and who will make known this fact to the cashier of the First National bank of Dwight, giving her name and address, will receive a donation from the cashier of said bank on February 13, 1908, which is the date of my eightieth birthday anniversary, and the giving and receiving will be held in the strictest confidence."

Dissecting a Violin.

Not one person in a hundred has the slightest notion of how many parts or pieces there are in a violin. Here is a list of them: Back, 2 pieces; belly, 2; coins and blocks, 6; sides, 5; side-linings, 12; bar, 1; purflings, 24; neck, 1; finger-board, 1; nut, 1; bridge, 1; string for tail-board, 1; guard for string, 1; sound-post, 1; strings, 4; pegs, 4; total, 69 pieces. Three kinds of wood are used—maple, pine and ebony. Maple is used for the back, the neck, the side-pieces and the bridge. Pine is used for the belly, the bar, the coins and blocks, the side-linings and the sound-post. Ebony is used for the finger-board, the tail-board, the nut, the guard for string of tail-board, the pegs and the button.

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BIENNIAL CONGRESS OF THE NATIONAL TROTTERING ASSOCIATION.

2 IN 3 HEATS ONLY FOR 3-YEAR-OLD

May Issue License to Every Driver Who Participates in a Race Over National Tracks—May Be Other Changes.

New York, Feb. 12.—Harness horsemen from all over the country are assembled at the Murray Hill hotel, where the twenty-fourth biennial congress of the National Trotting association convened this morning. The committee on credentials met at 9 o'clock to receive the credentials of delegates, and the congress was formally opened shortly before noon. Little important business was transacted at the initial session, which was given over to the preliminary arrangements.

It is expected that a number of important questions will be brought before the delegates, and if some of the proposed changes are accepted and put in the rules they will, in the opinion of those who are making the suggestions, greatly benefit the harness turf.

At the first annual meeting of the Breeders' association in this city, last November, a resolution was adopted against the racing of 3-year-olds in longer races than best two-in-three, and since then the general opinion of the breeders and the turf press has been strongly in favor of this resolution.

The congress therefore will be asked to make such changes in Rule 42, Section II, as will not permit any association to make exceptions to that rule. The section referred to says that races for 2 and 3 year olds must be mile heats, best two in three, where no distance or way of going is specified, but as each member has a right to make its own conditions for a race, it is desired that this rule be made absolute.

The issuing of a license to every driver who participates in a race over the National tracks is being strongly urged by horsemen, who believe a rule of this kind will greatly benefit the turf. This was tried just one season some years ago, but it was repealed, although none of the regular drivers objected to it in the least.

Such licenses are required from all drivers in European countries where there are trotting races. In fact, the American harness turf is the only racing institution where anybody can enter a contest without an official permit from the turf authorities.

Previous to the opening of each congress the question of more strict rules for the registration and identification of horses racing over the National's tracks comes up, but nothing has so far been accomplished to effectually fight this great evil of the harness turf.

The existing rules are considered strong enough to make the appearance of ringers over trotting tracks as impossible as they are on running tracks or in other countries, and what is needed is a hearty and sincere co-operation between the two ruling associations and the Trotting Register association, which has charge of the registration of horses.

Amateur driving clubs in membership with the National association have been hankering for the adoption of the rule now in force on the statutes of the American, namely, the granting of matinee meeting of ten days' duration each season, and charging for admission and for other privileges without incurring records or bars for their horses.

The rule adopted by the last congress allows only a three days' meeting each year and the charging of admission at the gate, but no other privilege of any kind. While a uniformity of rules for both associations is heartily favored by horsemen of all classes, yet a great majority of those most vitally interested in the racing of trotters justly believe that the course of the American association does not serve the best purposes of the sport and the breeding industry.

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Dr. Graham Won a Prize.

The ladies of the Baptist church entertained very delightfully and served afternoon tea Saturday at the

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Prevalence of Kidney Disease. Most people do not realize the alarming increase and remarkable prevalence of kidney disease. While kidney disorders are the most common diseases that prevail, they are almost the last recognized by patient and physicians, who content themselves with doctoring the effects, while the original disease undermines the system.

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Monfort house on East Excelsior street, says the Excelsior Springs Call. The feature of the afternoon was a "Counties of Missouri" guessing contest, in which the winner was Dr. W. N. Graham.

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Time Table



MISSOURI PACIFIC.

No. Arr.	Going East.	Depart
4	12:15...St. L. Exp.	12:20 a.m.
12	2:10 a.m...St. L. Lim.	2:15 a.m.
10	2:35 a.m...St. L. Lim.	2:40 a.m.
22	10:30 a.m...Local Pass.	10:40 a.m.
2	1:00 p.m...St. L. Sp'cl.	1:05 p.m.
8	4:25 p.m...Mail & Exp.	4:30 p.m.
38	9:10 p.m...K. C. Accom.	

Eastbound local freight departs from yards at 7:15 a.m.

No. Arr.	Going West.	Depart
9	1:45...Joplin Lim.	1:50 a.m.
3	4:00 a.m...Colo. Exp.	4:05 a.m.
11	4:45 a.m...Col. St. J. Lim.	4:50 a.m.
37Local Pass.	7:15 a.m.
21	2:40 p.m...Local Pass.	2:50 p.m.
1	2:30 p.m...Col. & St. J. Spe.	2:35 p.m.

Westbound local freight departs from station at 7:50 a.m.

LEXINGTON BRANCH.

No. 622, Passenger, arr.	10:30 a.m.
No. 624, Passenger, arr.	9:45 p.m.
No. 623, Passenger, dep.	5:15 a.m.
No. 621, Passenger, dep.	3:10 p.m.
No. 691 Local Fr't, dep.	6:40 a.m.
No. 696, Local Fr't, arr.	2:30 p.m.

WARSAW BRANCH.

No. 643 departs.	7:15 a.m.
No. 644 arrives.	2:25 p.m.



MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS.

No. Arr.	Going South.	Depart
1	6:25 p.m...Local Pass.	6:50 p.m.
2	8:50 a.m...Local Pass.	9:10 a.m.
5	3:17 a.m...Flyer	3:22 a.m.
511Local Freight	7:10 a.m.

No. Arr.	North and East	Depart
6	12:35 a.m...Flyer	12:40 a.m.
604Da. Except Sun.	6:15 p.m.
2	8:25 a.m...Local Pass.	8:50 a.m.
4	3:05 p.m...Local Pass.	3:30 p.m.

No. Arr.	Depart
515Da. Except Sun. 8:35 a.m.
451Da. Except Sun. 2:00 p.m.

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No. 616 arrives.	3:55 p.m.
No. 452 arrives.	5:00 a.m.

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THE MARTYR-PRESIDENT

NINETY-NINTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE BIRTH OF ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

IT IS BEING FITTINGLY OBSERVED

William Randolph Hearst and John Temple Graves to Address the Independence League in New York Tonight.

New York, Feb. 12.—The ninety-ninth anniversary of Lincoln's birth was fittingly observed today by the members of the Lincoln Fellowship, a recently organized association of admirers of the martyr-president. Addresses were delivered by several men of national reputation. Additional Lincoln meetings will be held tonight. The Lincoln Fellowship is designed to perpetuate Lincoln's memory and keep alive his principles and patriotism. It is expected to become national in its scope and character. A great celebration of the centennial of Lincoln's birth will be held by the fellowship next year.

One of the charter members is C. W. McLellan, a retired New York banker, who was an officer in the Confederate army. Others who joined are David H. Bates, Lincoln's telegrapher in the war department; Major J. B. Merwin, Middletown, Conn., who was Lincoln's confidential agent and who says he dined with Lincoln in the white house on the day of the assassination and started for New York early that evening to present Lincoln's letter to Horace Greeley, containing the president's plans for digging the Panama canal with two hundred thousand negro soldiers, with Ben Butler as supervisor; Chas. A. Tinker, clerk in the war department, and Gen. James Grant Wilson, who exhibited a ring containing strands of hair from the heads of Washington, Wellington, Napoleon, Alexander Hamilton, Lincoln and Grant. Major Merwin had the original order written and signed by Lincoln passing him through the army lines.

The officers are: Major William Lambert, U. S. A. (retired), of Philadelphia, who served under General Thomas in the civil war, president; General James Grant Wilson, C. W. McLellan, Judd Stewart, New York; J. B. Oakleaf, Moline, Ill.; Alonzo Rothschild, East Roxbury, Mass., and General James Fish, of Minneapolis, vice presidents; F. D. Tandy and Judd Stewart, New York, secretary and treasurer, respectively.

Hearst at Lincoln Banquet.

New York, Feb. 12.—William Randolph Hearst will be the guest of honor and principal speaker at the second annual Lincoln dinner of the Independence league at the Hotel Knickerbocker tonight.

John Temple Graves, the famous southern editor, now on the editorial staff of the New York American, will also deliver an address. Other speakers will be Frank P. Walsh, of Kansas City; Charles A. Walsh, of Iowa; Thomas L. Higgin, of Massachusetts; Reuben Robie Lyon, of Bath, N. Y., and John T. McDonough, of Albany.

Hoosier Honor Memory.

Wabash, Ind., Feb. 12.—Hundreds of prominent Hoosiers are here today for the annual celebration of the Indiana Lincoln league, the greatest state organization in the country formed to perpetuate the memory of Lincoln. The meeting will continue through tomorrow. Among the speakers expected are Vice President Fairbanks, Senator A. J. Beveridge and Senator James A. Hemenway.

Lincoln Dinner in Oregon.

Portland, Ore., Feb. 12.—An enthusiastic rally of the leading republicans of Oregon will mark the Lincoln banquet to be given at the Commercial club by the Union Republican club. Taft sentiment is strong in this section and it would not be surprising if the banquet developed into a ratification meeting for the secretary of war.

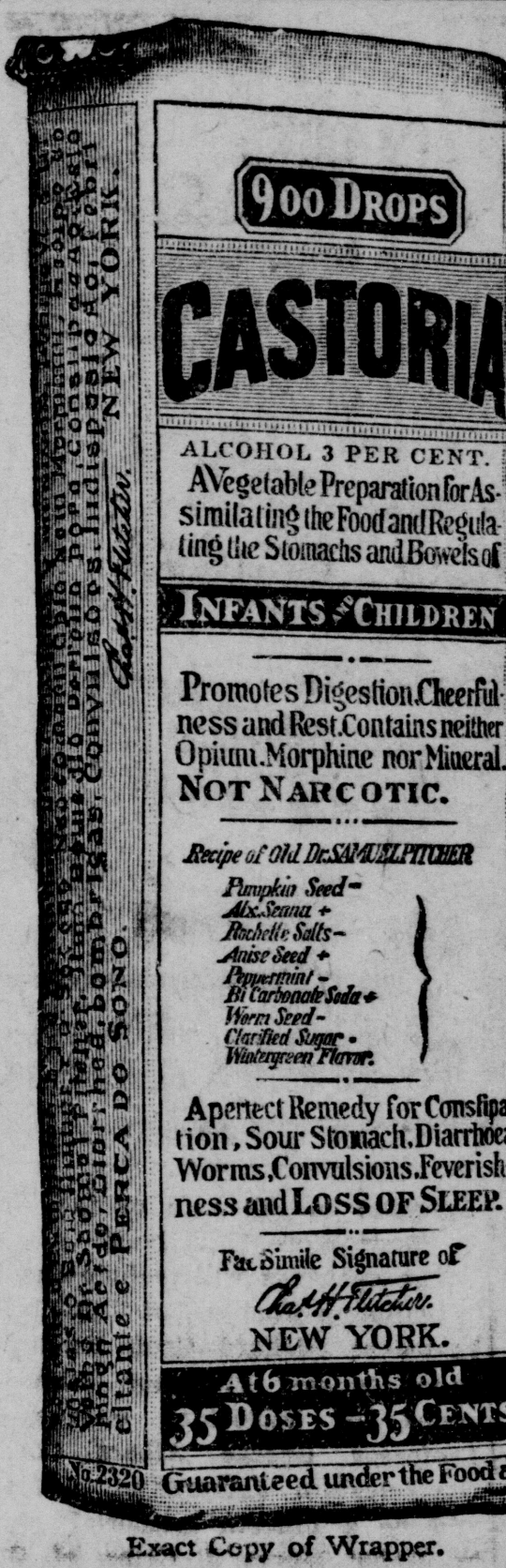
Gov. Hughes in New York.

New York, Feb. 12.—Governor Hughes will observe Lincoln's birthday as the guest of the Republican club of New York and the Union League club of Brooklyn. He is expected to make two addresses.

A MOTHER WENT "WRONG"

Little Daughter Wrote Father, Separated, of Woman's Actions.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 12.—Warrants charging a statutory offense were issued yesterday against Mrs. Myrtle Oeth, wife of a Jefferson City jeweler, and Albert Cooper who were both arrested Monday night at 3051 Easton avenue at the instance of the wo-



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The Jury Deliberated for Six and One-Half Hours.

Chicago, Feb. 12.—Mrs. Dora McDonald, who has been on trial here since January 20 on the charge of killing Webster Guerin, was acquitted by a jury in the criminal court last night. The verdict was reached after six and a half hours of deliberation. It developed at the trial that Guerin and Mrs. Dora McDonald had been more or less intimate for almost ten years, their relations having begun when Guerin was less than 17 years old.

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THE PRESIDENT TALKED

RECEIVED DELEGATES TO RELIGIOUS EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION.

HE URGED PATRIOTISM AND PIETY

Remarks Greeted With Applause By Hundreds of Distinguished Clergymen, Professors and Educators.

Washington, Feb. 12.—In the east room of the White House this afternoon President Roosevelt received the delegates to the fifth convention of the Religious Educational association, and in a brief address highly praised their efforts to inculcate religious and ethical ideals into the educational system of the country.

He urged a union of patriotism and piety in the training of the young. His speech was greeted with applause by the hundreds of distinguished clergymen, educators and college presidents and professors who attended the reception.

The morning session of the convention was principally devoted to a resume of the work of the association during the last year by General Secretary Henry F. Cope, of Chicago, and Dean George Hodges, of the Harvard Episcopal Theological school. Among those participating in the discussion that followed were President William H. P. Fausse, of Brown university; President Samuel A. Eliot, of the American Unitarian association; Secretary Frank Knight Sanders, of the Congregational Sunday School society, and President Charles Cuthbert Hall, of Union Theological seminary, New York.

Department sessions will be held this afternoon, following the White House reception. The theme for the third general session tonight will be: "How Can the Moral and Religious

Weak Women

To weak and ailing women, there is at least one way to help. But with that way, two treatments must be combined. One is local, one is constitutional, but both are important, both essential. Dr. Shoop's Night Cure is the local. Dr. Shoop's Restorative, the Constitutional. The former—Dr. Shoop's Night Cure—is a topical mucous membrane suppository remedy, while Dr. Shoop's Restorative is wholly an internal treatment. The Restorative reaches throughout the entire system, seeking the repair of all nerve, all tissue, and all blood ailments. The "Night Cure," as its name implies, does its work while you sleep. It soothes sore and inflamed mucous surfaces, heals local weaknesses and discharges, while the Restorative, easing nervous excitement, gives renewed vigor and ambition, builds up wasted tissues, bringing about renewed strength, vigor, and energy. Take Dr. Shoop's Restorative—Tablets or Liquid—as a general tonic to the system. For positive local help, use as well

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RUMBLINGS OF THE RAIL

TWO KANSAS TOWNS ARE AFTER THE MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILWAY CO.

COACH, CAB AND CABOOSE ITEMS

Matters of Interest Picked Up From Various Sources for the Benefit of Democrat-Sentinel Readers.

The Missouri Pacific Railroad Co. has abolished the telegraph office at Devon, nine miles northwest, on the K. & D., and the people of that town will hold an indignation meeting on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock to protest against the company's action, says the Fort Scott Tribune of Tuesday.

They will invite the people of Uniontown and vicinity, who have also lost their telegraph office, and been made a whistling station for all trains except one each way each day, to join in the meeting and assist in plans to get the matter before the attorney general at Topeka.

Last week, when it was rumored in Devon that Agent Senior's salary was to be cut from \$55 to \$30 per month and that the telegraph instruments were to be taken out, a committee of Devon men came in and consulted J. I. Shepherd with a view to enjoining the company from discontinuing the telegraph office. The committee was discouraged in this method of procedure on the ground that it would be ineffective, but Mr. Shepherd was retained to represent the town in case the telegraph office was discontinued.

This morning another committee was in town and announced an indignation meeting for Saturday afternoon. It is announced that Mr. Shepherd will attend this meeting and outline a plan to carry the matter to Topeka, with a view to compelling the company to maintain a telegraph office at Devon and also at Uniontown.

The Devon committee stated to a reporter this morning that more than 2000 cars of produce and stock are shipped from that station every year, and that the station receipts are more than \$600 a month the year round.

Died at the Katy Hospital.

A. T. Bozarth, a freight house employee for the M. K. & T. at Oklahoma City, died from pneumonia at the county hospital in this city at 8 o'clock last night, aged 35 years. He had been a patient in the institution since February 8. The body will likely be shipped to Oklahoma City for burial.

Machinist Scalded at Shops.

George E. Walker, a popular machinist at the Missouri Pacific shops, had his lower limbs quite badly scalded by escaping steam while working on an engine this forenoon.

Dr. A. J. Campbell attended him, and the patient is now resting easily at his room, 406 West Fourth street.

Automatic Couplers.

W. J. Reedy, a Katy brakeman, is laying off.

J. R. Bridges, a Katy conductor, reported for work today.

J. W. Conner returned this morning from a visit at Nevada.

D. C. Walker and "Bob" Wright, Katy brakemen, are laying off.

Charles Wilson, a Katy conductor, is laying off on account of rheumatism.

J. W. McDams, a Katy conductor, has resumed work, after a few days' lay off.

J. M. Chandler, Missouri Pacific roadmaster, went to Holden today on business.

Henry Newcomb, a Katy brakeman, has "bumped" Vic Kinsey from the high line.

Joe Shepard, a Katy brakeman, is now running with Walter Ferrier on the south end.

C. S. Cummings, a Katy brakeman, is running with Conductor Norris on the south end.

T. D. Robertson, a Katy brakeman, is running out the south end in place of Ira Yarnell.

Lon Wilson, a Katy conductor, has resumed work, after a few days' lay off, due to an injury.

Tom Cornelius, a Katy brakeman, is now running with Conductor Hawkins on the north end.

C. H. Rockwell, chief clerk for Superintendent N. J. Finney, of the Katy, is suffering from a bad cold.

W. F. Hausgen, supervisor of bridges and buildings for the Missouri Pacific, went east on No. 22 today.

P. P. Bishop, foreman of the water service of the Katy, returned this morning from a company visit at Nevada.

Edward Kent, a Missouri Pacific boilermaker, and wife, have moved from 404 West Sixth street to the

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In the Western Drama
The Heart of an Indian

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W. H. Senior, a Katy brakeman, who has been running out of Nevada, has been "bumped" by Brakeman Wright.

Superintendent N. J. Finney, of the Katy, returned this morning from a business visit on the south end of the road.

L. W. Mosher, commercial agent for the Katy, went north on No. 2 today to transact company business on the Hannibal division.

C. E. Whitney, general chairman of the O. R. C. grievance committee on the Katy, returned this morning from Denison, Texas.

J. W. McClain, city passenger and ticket agent for the Missouri Pacific, made a business visit at Tipton today.

Auditor of Weights Thomas, of the Missouri Pacific, went to Independence this morning, after a business visit in this city.

An official bulletin was issued at the local Katy offices today, requesting conductors to have United States mail on No. 5 handled promptly at Sedalia.

J. C. Ragsdale, a Katy brakeman, who over two weeks ago was injured in the wreck at Freeman, Mo., is getting along nicely, and reported for work today.

Never be contented with "just as good;" demand the "Pride of Perry" and get the standard of highest quality.

Marshall, Mo., Merchant Dies.

Marshall, Mo., Feb. 12.—I. O. Striker, one of the oldest residents of this city, died at his home yesterday of pneumonia. Mr. Striker had been in the mercantile business here for twenty-seven years. He is survived by his widow and ten children.

Parties desiring experienced nurse call at 505 East Fourth street.

Started on Race to Paris.

New York, Feb. 12.—Six automobiles started from the Times square at 11:15 this morning on a race to Paris by way of Bering strait. The departures were witnessed by a great throng and were followed up Broadway by several hundred automobiles.

Light bread made of "Pride of Perry" flour is so light that it does not remain on the table any length of time.

Mexico Names Wet Mayor.

Mexico, Mo., Feb. 12.—E. D. Graham was nominated here yesterday in the democratic primary over S. P. Emmons for mayor by a large majority. Emmons was the dry candidate and was beaten by over 200 votes.

Cascarets—Arlington Pharmacy.

Taft Gets Missouri Delegates.

Joplin, Mo., Feb. 12.—The republicans of the Fifteenth Missouri congressional district here today elected delegates to the national convention

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GOT A HUNGARIAN NOBLE

ALICE NEY WETHERBEE, WHO DIVORCED HER HUSBAND FIVE YEARS AGO.

COUNTESS IS A HANDSOME WOMAN

The Man Whose Name She Now Bears Had Also Been Divorced, the Wife Charging Cruelty and Neglect.

Paris, Feb. 12.—Count Rudolph Festetics de Tolna and his bride, formerly Alice Ney Wetherbee, who were married in the American church here yesterday, will leave today for Budapest, where the marriage will be confirmed, according to the Hungarian law. Like Count Szechenyi, who recently married Gladys Vanderbilt, Count Festetics is a member of an old Hungarian family, although both he and his mother, who is a French woman, spend most of their time in Paris. Both the count and his bride have been married before. The new countess married in New York eleven years ago Jean Schopfer, of Switzerland, from whom she procured a divorce in Switzerland five years ago, resuming her maiden name and retaining the custody of her young daughter, who is now with her. She has not been home for several years, and has lived in the apartment of her parents, in the avenue Malakoff, Paris, having frequent visits from them.

The Countess Festetics is a handsome woman and has many accomplishments. She fences well, rides and hunts and is a sculptress of unusual ability, having exhibited some of her works in the Paris Salon. One of her works, done in bronze, is a statue of Minerva, which is to go to Athens as a prize in the Olympian games held there. She has also exhibited a portrait bust in marble of a young woman of Paris, which gained her honorable mention in the Salon.

Count Festetics married in New York in February, 1892, Miss Ella Haggin, a granddaughter of James D. Haggin. The marriage was considered a brilliant one at the time, but did not turn out happily. Soon after their marriage Count Festetics and his bride left San Francisco in a yacht called the Tolna, built for them by Mr. James D. Haggin in San Francisco. They made many cruises in the Pacific ocean, stopping in Japan and China. After leaving the countess in Singapore in 1897, Count Festetics proceeded on his cruise, and his yacht was wrecked off Minor Island, in the Indian ocean, where after a period of two months he and his crew were picked up by a British tramp steamship. In 1902 Countess Festetics obtained a divorce in San Francisco on the plea of neglect and cruelty. She now lives in New York.

Call No. 14.

For your wants from the Drug Store either phone—Arlington Pharmacy.

Once Lived in Saline County.

Sedalia friends have received invitations to the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Merodith M. Marmaduke, former residents of Saline county, to be celebrated at their home in Green Cove Springs, Florida, Monday night, February 24, 1908, on which occasion their daughter, Mary Bruce Marmaduke, will be married to Mr. Warren Adsit Munsell.

Mr. Marmaduke is a brother of the late Gov. John S. Marmaduke.

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Cascarets—Arlington Pharmacy.

Taft Gets Missouri Delegates.

Joplin, Mo., Feb. 12.—The republicans of the Fifteenth Missouri congressional district here today elected delegates to the national convention

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New White Waistings

Sheer White Lawns, Picques, Madras, Etc., Persian Lawns and India Linens

NEW DIMITIES—Of fine qualities, at 12½c, 15c, 20c & 25c a yard.

WHITE PIQUE—30 inches wide & of good heavy quality; special at 25c yard.

FANCY WHITE WAIST GOODS—Fancy weaves, plain & figured, stripes, etc., at 15c, 20c, 25c up to 50c yard.

LINEN SUITINGS—In plain & fancy colors, checks, stripes or dotted. Enough material in each pattern for a suit; priced at \$2.50, \$3.50, \$4.00 & \$5.00 a pattern.

LINEN SHEETING—2½ yards wide, fine quality linen; specially adapted for suits & skirts; special, \$1.25 a yard.

SPECIAL LINENS—Art linen, Butcher's linen, pure linens, etc.; specially priced at 24c, 35c, 49c up to 75c yard.

PERSIAN LAWNS—Very dainty and fine quality; priced at 15c, 18c, 20c, 25c & up.

FRENCH LAWN—48 inches wide; extra fine quality; 39c.

LINEN LAWNS—A very fine sheer lawn of pure linen; special value, 75c yard.

BEAUTIFUL ALL-OVER NET—Either plain or lace, white or ecru; at 50c, 75c & \$1.49 yard.

INDIA LINENS—Either white or black; extra good values at from 6c to 24c a yard.

MUSLINS—Extra Special for This Week—Good bleached muslin, worth 9c per yard; for this week; special, 6c.

INDIAN HEAD MUSLIN—So much used in suits & skirts; special, 13c yard.

LINGERIE—Similar to fine mull, white, pink & blue; specially adapted for waists; extra special value, 24c yard.

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BROS. & CO.

In Chicago and they were instructed to vote for Taft for president. Attorney General Hadley was endorsed for governor.

Good Thing Initiated.

One of the most widely advertised articles that is universally well thought of and that has been used with satisfaction in almost every American home is **Cascarets**. This meritorious medicine has grown so popular and is in such great demand that unscrupulous imitators are putting out products closely resembling in appearance the true **Cascarets**.

We are pleased to advise our patrons that we carry the genuine **Cascarets** made by the **Sterling Remedy Co.**, as well as the genuine of every thing else in our line. We invite your patronage.—Arlington Pharmacy.

Will Serve Tea for a Benefit.

The Broadway Presbyterian church ladies will give a tea at the store of Mrs. Monahan-Collier tomorrow afternoon from 2 to 6 o'clock, the proceeds to go toward the erection of a primary room for the Sunday school.

HORSES BOUGHT AND SOLD

HIGHEST MARKET PRICES PAID AT ALL TIMES. CALL AT 116 SOUTH KENTUCKY AVENUE.—ROBERT BIGGS.

SUFFRAGISTS TO JAIL

Out of Fifty Arrested Only Two Paid Fines to Escape Imprisonment.

London, Feb. 12.—The fifty suffragists who yesterday made a raid on the house of commons were arraigned in police court today and sentenced to pay a fine or to serve one month's imprisonment. All but two of them preferred to go to jail.

Mistake Corrected.

Correct the mistake of risking pneumonia by neglecting a cough or cold when Foley's Honey and Tar will not only stop your cough, but expel the cold from your system. Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates and is the best and safest throat and lung remedy. Arlington Pharmacy.

Don't ask your grocer for it. Just tell him you want "Pride of Perry" and you will make no mistake.

WANTED.

Residence lot east of Grand; \$800 to \$1500.
Two or three acres southwest, adjoining Sedalia; \$1500 to \$2500.
Large list of desirable residence property at bankrupt prices. See me for bargains.

W. H. HIGHLEYMAN
Phone 78. 315 Ohio Street.

CLOSING OUT SALE!

Having sold my farm to give possession March 1st, I am compelled to sell all my stock and implements

Saturday, Feb. 22, '08
AT OTTERVILLE, MISSOURI

Farm 1 1-2 Miles West of Otterville on Main Road

HORSES.
2 16-hand horse mules.
1 gelding, 2 years old.
1 saddle horse colt by Lime-stone Artist.
1 draft mare colt.
SHEEP.
80 head high grade Shropshire ewes.
11 head high grade Shropshire ewe lambs.
2 pure bred Shropshire bucks.
CATTLE.
5 registered Shorthorn cattle (Scotch topped).
1 thoroughbred bull calf.
4 heifer calves.
All farm implements of every sort—too numerous to mention.

TERMS: All sums under \$25.00, cash; over \$25.00, 6 months time on bankable note at 8 per cent, 2 per cent off for cash.

SALE COMMENCES AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M.
Dinner on Grounds By Church Ladies.

Cols. C. J. Hieronymus, W. D. Ross, Kemp Hieronymus, Auctioneers.

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